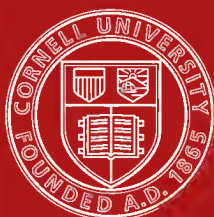


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## PREFATORY NOTE

The preparation of this Record has been a great pleasure because of the feeling that simple justice was being done those who served in the Civil War. It was intended to be a compilation of Official Records and is to a great degree, but some information, which seemed fairly reliable, could not be confirmed from official sources. Such records will be easily recognized by the absence of official dates.

The Collegiate and honor degrees are given as of last known records.

When officers stayed in the service after the war that fact is indicated.

Brevet appointments were made "for gallant and meritorious services," which is implied where not stated.

It is hoped that the publication of this highly creditable Civil War record of Union's Alumni will lead to the erection of a Permanent Memorial at the College.

*"Yea, let all good things await  
Him who cares not to be great  
But as he saves or serves the state.  
Not once or twice in our rough island-story  
The path of duty was the way to glory."*

## Alumni of Union College Who Rendered Distinguished Services to Their Country During the Civil War

WILLIAM H. SEWARD, ΦBK, LL.D., CLASS OF 1820.

He was United States Secretary of State through the war period. The evening that Lincoln was shot Seward was savagely attacked at his home, and his son, Frederick W. Seward, ΦBK, LL.D., of the Class of 1849, who was Assistant Secretary of State, was seriously hurt when trying to prevent the assassins entering his father's room.

JOHN BIGELOW, ΦBK, LL.D., CLASS OF 1835.

He was Consul General of the United States in Paris, and United States Minister to France during the war period. He rendered conspicuous services in preventing the recognition of the Confederate States.

AUSTIN BLAIR, ΦBK, LL.D., CLASS OF 1839.

He was the War Governor of Michigan and an ardent supporter and helper of President Lincoln.

PRESTON KING, LL.D., CLASS OF 1827.

United States Senator from New York State.

IRA HARRIS, ΦBK, LL.D., CLASS OF 1824.

United States Senator from New York State.





WM. H. SEWARD. Class of 1820.

United States Secretary of State.

This picture was taken in August, 1865, after his partial recovery from wounds inflicted by Payne on July 14.

IRA HARRIS. Class of 1824.

United States Senator from New York State.

This picture was taken in October, 1864.



# UNION COLLEGE

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.

## Faculty and Alumni Records in The Civil War

### FACULTY

**ELIAS PEISSNER, A.M. (Munich).** *Professor of German and Political Economy.*

At the age of 35 he was mustered in as Lieut. Colonel 119th N. Y. Vols. to serve three years, August 9, 1862. Promoted to Colonel Sept. 1, 1862. Killed in action at Chancellorsville, Va., May 2, 1863. A Grand Army Post in Rochester, N. Y., is named for him.

### ALUMNI

**1813 — 1821 — 1822**

1813 **SAMUEL LIVINGSTON BREESE.**

He was appointed Midshipman U. S. N., May 14, 1846. The Civil War found him a Lieut. U. S. N., in command of the *Crusader*. He was promoted to Lieut. Commander July 16, 1862, and had command of the *Quaker City* of the South Atlantic blockading Squadron in 1862-3, and of the *Gunboat Ottawa* in 1863-4. He remained in the service after the War.

1813 **JOHN J. YOUNG.**

Appointed Midshipman U. S. N., June 17, 1814. The Civil War found him Captain U. S. N. He became Commodore July 16, 1862, and was later retired as Commodore.

1821 **JOHN W. PROUDFIT, A.B., D.D.**

Appointed Hospital Chaplain of Vols. June 20, 1862. Honorably mustered out, Aug. 21, 1865.

1822 **GEORGE W. CODWISE, A.B., M.D.**

Surgeon's Mate, U. S. N., May 14, 1825.  
Surgeon U. S. N., Dec. 4, 1828.  
Retired, April 30, 1861.

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**1826 — 1827 — 1828 — 1829**

- 1826 JOHN V. VAN INGEN, A.B., D.D.  
Chaplain 8th New York Cavalry, Nov. 18, 1861.  
Discharged, January 22, 1864.
- 1827 SAMUEL WOOTEN BEALL, A.B.  
Private 18th Wis. Vols., 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 18th Wis. Vols., 1862.  
Desperately wounded in the battle of Shiloh.  
Resigned, Aug. 3, 1863.  
Major 1st Veteran Reserve Corps, Sept. 28, 1864.  
Discharged, Dec. 20, 1865.  
Commandant of Prison Camp at Elmira, N. Y., 1864-5.
- 1827 THEODORE B. HAMILTON, A.B.  
2nd Lieut. 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Nov. 1861.  
Resigned, June 11, 1862.  
Captain 33d N. Y. Vols., 1862.  
Lt. Colonel 62d N. Y. Vols., Dec. 27, 1862.  
Brevet Colonel, August 1, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 30, 1865.
- 1828 ROBERT TOOMBS.  
After the election of Lincoln he left the U. S. Senate and led the secession movement in Georgia. He was one of the Chief organizers of the Confederate Government, and was a prominent candidate for President. He was Secretary of State for a few months and then resigned to become Brigadier General C. S. A. in Lee's Army. He fought with distinction at Manassas and Sharpsburg, but was too insubordinate to make a successful commander, so in 1864 he resigned and returned to Georgia. He disliked President Davis and opposed his policies. After the war he would not take the oath of allegiance so he was debarred from Congress.
- 1829 GEORGE CHANDLER, A.B., M.D.  
Medical Director at Fort Monroe in 1862.
- 1829 WILLIAM LYMAN, A.B., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., June 24, 1861.  
Passed Asst. Surgeon, June 22, 1864.  
Died in 1865.



*Union College Alumni in the Civil War*

**1829 — 1830 — 1831**

- 1829 CHARLES N. ROWLEY, ΦBK, A.B.  
He was a Brigadier General C. S. A. and commanded the 6th Brigade of Louisiana Militia.
- 1829 SAMUEL JORDAN WHEELER, A.M., M.D.  
Served in C. S. A. near the end of Civil War.
- 1829 CHARLES YATES, A.B.  
He was mustered into the U. S. Service in 1861 as Brigadier General and given command of the Depot for Volunteers in New York City, where he remained until Jan. 25, 1862. He then commanded at Fenwick, Pa., and in the Gettysburg Campaign had the First Brigade of Dana's Division in the Department of the Susquehanna from June 19 to July 20, 1863.
- 1830 FRANK HASTINGS HAMILTON, ΦBK, M.D., LL.D.  
Major and Surgeon 31st N. Y. Vols., May 25, 1861.  
Surgeon U. S. V., Aug. 3, 1861.  
Medical Director 4th Army Corps in 1862 and Lieut. Colonel and Medical Inspector, Feb. 9, 1863.  
Resigned, August 29, 1863.
- 1831 JOHN COCHRANE, A.B.  
Age 45. Enrolled for 3 years.  
Colonel 65th N. Y. Vols., June 11, 1861.  
Brigadier General U. S. Vols., July 17, 1862.  
Resigned, Feb. 25, 1863.  
Attorney General N. Y. State, 1863-5.
- 1831 SAMUEL GILBERT HATHEWAY, JR., ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 47. Colonel 141st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 9, 1862.  
Discharged, Feb. 11, 1863. Died in 1864.
- 1831 ANTHONY TEN EYCK.  
Major and Additional Paymaster of Volunteers, June 1, 1861.  
· Honorably mustered out, Sept. 23, 1865.
- 1831 FERDINAND DEW. WARD, D.D.  
Chaplain 104th N. Y. Vols., July 17, 1862, to Sept. 16, 1862, and from Dec. 24, 1862, to Nov. 25, 1863, when he was discharged for disability.

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**1832 — 1834 — 1835**

- 1832 FERRIS FORMAN.  
Colonel 4th California Infantry, Nov., 1861.  
Resigned, August 20, 1863.
- 1832 CORNELIUS L. RUSSELL, A.B.  
Private in 100 days' Regiment N. Y. Vols, 1st call, 1861.
- 1832 JESSE C. SMITH, ΦBK, A.M.  
Brigadier General commanding 3d Brigade, 1st Division,  
Department of Susquehanna from June 16 to July 24, 1863,  
during the Gettysburg campaign.
- 1834 GAIUS M. BLODGETT, A.M.  
Captain and Hospital Chaplain, July 15, 1862.  
Mustered out, July 26, 1865.
- 1834 JAMES FULLER.  
Age 54. Colonel 105th N. Y. Vols., March 26, 1862.  
Resigned, Aug. 2, 1862.
- 1834 LEWIS HAMILTON.  
U. S. Army, 1863-8.
- 1834 HENRY H. NORTHROP, ΦBK, A.B.  
Appointed Chaplain 13th Michigan Vols., Jan., 1862.  
Resigned, Dec. 26, 1862.
- 1834 LEMUEL G. OLMSTEAD, LL.D.  
Hospital Chaplain Vols., June 4, 1862.  
Honorably mustered out, Aug. 10, 1865.
- 1834 MONTGOMERY SCHUYLER, A.B., DD.  
Chaplain U. S. A., 1861-2.
- 1834 JOHN HILLS WOODWARD.  
Chaplain 1st Vermont Cavalry, Nov., 1861.  
Known as the fighting Chaplain, having led the charge at  
New Market. Resigned, July 17, 1863.
- 1835 CHAUNCEY C. JOSLIN, A.M., M.D.  
Age 49. Asst. Surgeon 84th N. Y. Vols., July 13, 1863.  
Discharged for disability, Jan. 7, 1864.

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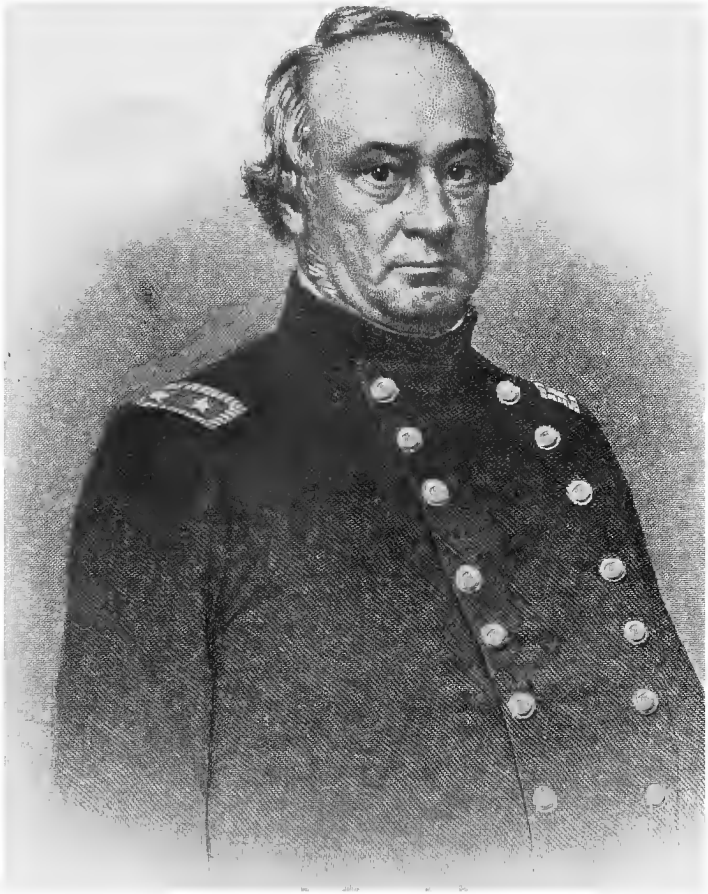
### **1835 — 1836**

- 1835 JAMES NICHOLS, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 50. Chaplain 108th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 13, 1862.  
Discharged, March 14, 1863. Died in 1864.
- 1835 CORNELIUS VAN SANTVOORD, ΦBK, D.D.  
Age 44. Chaplain 80th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 10, 1861.  
Discharged, Nov. 18, 1862.
- 1836 SAMUEL R. BEARDSLEY.  
Age 45. Lieut. Colonel 24th N. Y. Vols., May 16, 1861.  
Wounded in action at Groveton, Va., Aug. 29, 1862.  
Colonel, Jan. 16, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 29, 1863.  
Died in 1863.
- 1836 JACOB BOCKEE, ΦBK, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 13th Illinois Cavalry, Feb., 1862.  
Major and Surgeon U. S. Vols., May 15, 1862.  
Stationed at Fort Pickens on Gen. Arnold's staff, then at  
at New Orleans in charge of St. James Hospital, and at  
U. S. Marine Hospital. Later in Baton Rouge, La.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel for meritorious services, March, 1865.
- 1836 HENRY CALLAHAN, ΦBK, A.B.  
Chaplain 114th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 8, 1862.  
Discharged, Sept. 29, 1863.
- 1836 GEORGE H. CAMP.  
Age 45. Private 176th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 18, 1862.  
Captured in action at Brashear City, La., June 23, 1863.  
Paroled, Aug. 17, 1863. Corporal, December, 1863.  
Discharged, Jan., 1864, for promotion to 2d Lieut. 87th  
U. S. Colored Infantry, Jan. 23, 1864.  
Discharged, Nov. 26, 1864.
- 1836 DAVID E. FOWLER, A.B.  
Captain and Commissary U. S. Vols., Feb. 19, 1863.  
Served with the 11th Army Corps until the end of the  
Gettysburg Campaign. In 1864 was assigned to Gen.  
Jones' brigade of the 20th Army Corps and later was made  
Major and Commissary of 2nd Division 20th Army Corps  
on Gen. Geary's staff, on Sherman's march to the sea.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols. for meritorious services, June 24,  
1865. Mustered out, June 30, 1865.

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**1836 — 1837 — 1838**

- 1836 EDWARD MARTINDALE, ΦBK, A.M.  
Captain and Commissary Vols., Sept. 19, 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 26th New Jersey Vols., Jan. 6, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 27, 1863, reverting to his rank of Captain and Commissary.  
Resigned, May 2, 1864.  
Colonel 83d U. S. Colored Infantry, Feb. 1, 1864.  
Colonel 81st U. S. Colored Infantry, Aug. 6, 1864.  
Resigned, Aug. 7, 1865.
- 1836 SAMUEL W. WILSON, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 4th Wisconsin Cavalry, 1861.  
Surgeon, April 1, 1864.  
He served through the War and was Surgeon of the National Soldiers' Home at Augusta, Me., after the War.
- 1837 HENRY WAGER HALLECK, ΦBK, LL.D.  
He had served as an officer in the U. S. Engineer Corps from July 1, 1839, to the acceptance of his resignation as Captain on August 1, 1854. He was Captain by brevet in 1847 for gallant and meritorious services in Mexico and California. He became Secretary of State in California and in 1861 offered his services to the Government and was made Major General U. S. A., Aug. 19, 1861.  
He was Commander in Chief of the Army from July 23, 1862, to March 9, 1864, and continued in the service after the War.
- 1838 ISAAC G. DURYEA, A.B.  
Age 51. Chaplain 81st N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 31, 1865.
- 1838 SAMUEL FAIRBANKS, A.B.  
He was Captain and Acting Quartermaster C. S. A. and served on Gen. Finegan's staff in Florida.
- 1838 T. DWIGHT MORRIS, A.B.  
Colonel 14th Conn. Vols., Aug., 1862.  
Brevet Brigadier General, 1863.  
Resigned, Aug. 14, 1863.  
Commanded 2nd Brigade, 3d Division, 2nd Army Corps.



*W. W. Halleck*



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**1838 — 1839 — 1840**

- 1838 LIVINGSTON G. PARKER, A.B.  
Captain 5th Kansas Cavalry, April 29, 1865; transferred to 15th Kansas Cavalry, Aug. 22, 1865.  
Mustered out, Dec. 7, 1865.
- 1838 WARREN TAYLOR.  
Served in Ohio Vols.
- 1838 ROBERT TOWNSEND.  
He served as an officer of the U. S. Navy from Aug. 1, 1837, until April 7, 1851, when his resignation as Lieut. U. S. N. was accepted.  
He was appointed Acting Lieut. U. S. N., Sept. 17, 1861, and became Commander, July 16, 1862, Captain, July 25, 1866, and died in the service, Aug. 15, 1866.
- 1838 PETER S. VAN NEST, DD.  
Chaplain 36th Wisconsin Vols., March, 1864.  
Discharged, Jan. 6, 1865.
- 1839 EDWARD COOPER, DD.  
Chaplain 8th Ohio Cavalry, June 30, 1864.  
Mustered out, July 30, 1865.
- 1839 GEORGE ERSKINE DANFORTH.  
Colonel 134th N. Y. Vols., July 9, 1862.  
Resigned in 1863.
- 1839 GEORGE R. FAIRBANKS, A.M.  
Major A. Q. M. C. S. A. at Atlanta.
- 1839 ALFRED TAYLOR, A.M., M.D.  
Surgeon 2nd Ohio Cavalry, Sept., 1861.  
Discharged, April 18, 1863.
- 1840 CYRUS SUMNER BROWN, A.B.  
1st Lieut. 11th Missouri Vols., April 4, 1862.  
Discharged, Sept. 1, 1862.



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### **1840 — 1841**

- 1840 PETER H. BURGHARDT, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 50. Chaplain 65th N. Y. Vols., June 11, 1861.  
Dismissed, March 21, 1863.  
Reinstated, June 6, 1863.  
Mustered out with detachment, Sept. 12, 1864.  
At Fair Oaks, where all the field officers were killed or wounded, he took command of his Regiment and led it back into action.
- 1840 ISAAC O. FILLMORE, ΦBK, D.D.  
Chaplain 15th N. Y. Cavalry, May 18, 1864.
- 1840 THALES LINDSLEY, ΦBK, A.B.  
Captain, Major and Brigadier General.
- 1840 CHARLES MARTIN, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. A., Sept. 5, 1848.  
Major and Surgeon U. S. N., April 22, 1861.  
Retired as Medical Director, Aug. 21, 1884.  
He was on the Cumberland when sunk by the Merrimac in the Monitor fight.
- 1840 WM. H. P. PADDOCK, A.M.  
Hospital Chaplain Vols., July 5, 1862.  
Honorably discharged, March 28, 1863.  
Hospital Chaplain Vols., June 19, 1863.  
Honorably mustered out, May 7, 1867.
- 1840 BERNARD F. SCHEMERHORN, A.B.  
Major 46th Indiana Vols., Nov., 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Dec. 1, 1864.
- 1840 JAMES L. VAN INGEN, M.D.  
Surgeon 18th N. Y. Vols., May 17, 1861.  
Resigned, Aug. 4, 1861.  
Surgeon 5th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 14, 1861.  
Discharged on report of Examining Board, Feb. 14, 1862.  
Disability removed June 22, 1864.
- 1841 JAMES F. CALKINS, ΦBK, A.B.  
Chaplain 149th Pa. Vols., June 3, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 24, 1865.

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**1841 — 1842**

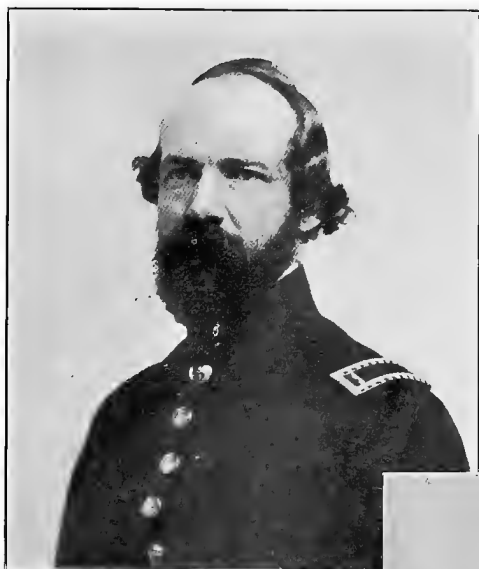
- 1841 WM. E. EACKER, A.B.  
Quartermaster on General Fonda's staff.
- 1841 LEWIS SYLVESTER HOUGH.  
Private 9th N. J. Vols., 1863 to 1865.
- 1841 ROBERT CHAFFEE MORGAN, A.B.  
He had served as 1st Lieut. and Regimental Quartermaster of the 10th U. S. Infantry from April 1, 1847, and as Captain from May 8, 1848, until August 26, 1848, when the command was disbanded  
He became Captain and A. Qm. U. S. A., June 18, 1862.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. and Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, Oct. 1, 1867.
- 1841 WM. H. STEWART.  
1st Lieut. 29th Ill. Vols., 1861.  
Resigned, March 4, 1862.  
Captain 95th Ill. Vols., Sept. 4, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 17, 1865.
- 1842 DUNCAN CAMPBELL, ΦBK, A.M.  
1st Lieut. 24th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 30, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 29, 1863.  
Captain and Asst. Adjutant General N. Y. Vols.
- 1842 RUFUS KING, ΦBK, A.B.  
Private 31st Wis. Vols., 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Regiment Quartermaster, 1863.  
Captain and Quartermaster, April 17, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 20, 1865.
- 1842 HENRY A. PRENDERGAST, A.B.  
Major and Paymaster U. S. A., Nov. 13, 1862.  
Served until his death in 1863.
- 1842 GEORGE L. ROBINSON.  
Post Chaplain U. S. A., Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
- 1842 CHARLES E. SMEDES.  
Brigadier General C. S. A., 1863.

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**1842 — 1843 — 1844**

- 1842 THOMAS B. VAN BUREN.  
Lieut. Colonel 102d N. Y. Vols., Dec. 16, 1861.  
Colonel 102d N. Y. Vols., Feb. 8, 1862.  
Resigned, Dec. 13, 1862.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.
- 1842 JAMES WOOD, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 42. Colonel 136th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 8, 1862.  
Brevet Brigadier General N. Y. Vols., March 8, 1865.  
Brevet Major General N. Y. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 13, 1865.  
He wrote a History of the Atlanta Campaign.
- 1843 FRANKLIN B. HOUGH, ΦBK, A.M., M.D., Ph.D.  
Age 45. Surgeon 97th N. Y. Vols., July 3, 1862.  
Discharged, March 10, 1863.
- 1843 LEVI W. NORTON, A.M.  
Age 41. Chaplain 72d N. Y. Vols., July 17, 1861.  
Discharged, April 20, 1862.
- 1843 HENRY POMEROY, ΦBK, A.M.  
Lieut. Colonel 1st Wis. Cavalry.  
Resigned, Feb. 11, 1864.
- 1843 RODMAN H. ROBINSON, D.D.  
Chaplain 32d N. Y. Vols., June 1, 1861.  
Resigned, Feb. 22, 1862.
- 1844 WILLIAM ALLEN, A.B.  
Additional Paymaster Vols., June 1, 1861.  
Chief Paymaster of the District of the Cumberland in 1862.  
Resigned, Oct. 4, 1865.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel Vols., March 13, 1865.
- 1844 ALEXANDER P. BERTHOUD, ΦBK, A.M.  
Colonel 31st N. J. Vols., Sept. 17, 1862.  
Commanded a Brigade in the 1st Army Corps.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 24, 1863.





JAMES C. DUANE.

Class of 1844.

At the close of the Civil War he was Major Corps of Engineers U. S. A. and Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A.

Chief Engineer of the Army of the Potomac.

Picture taken when First Lieutenant of Engineers.



FREDERICK TOWNSEND.

Class of 1844.

Lieut. Colonel 9th U. S. Infantry.

Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A.

Picture taken when he was Major of Regulars.

## *Union College Alumni in the Civil War*

**1844**

1844 JAMES C. DUANE, A.B.

After receiving his A.B. at Union he entered West Point and graduated July 1, 1848. He was appointed Brevet 2nd Lieut. of Engineers. He became Captain, August 6, 1861; Major, March 3, 1863. Brevet Lieut. Colonel and Brevet Colonel U. S. A., July 6, 1864, for faithful services. He commanded the Engineer Battalion in the siege of Yorktown, April 12 to May 4, 1862. He built the bridge over the Chickahominy, 2,000 feet long, August 12-14, 1862. He was Chief Engineer of the Army of the Potomac, Sept. 8 to Nov. 5, 1862, during the Maryland Campaign. Chief Engineer of the Department of the South, Nov. 19, 1862, to June 13, 1863, in the attacks on Fort McAllister, Ga., and in operations against Charleston, S. C., and again Chief Engineer of the Army of the Potomac from July 15, 1863, to June 8, 1865. Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A. from March 13, 1865, for gallant and meritorious services during the siege of Petersburg and the defeat of Lee.

After the War he became Lieut. Colonel, Corps of Engineers, March 7, 1867; Colonel, Jan. 10, 1883; Brigadier General, Chief of Engineers U. S. Army, Oct. 11, 1886, and was retired, June 30, 1888.

He was one of the joint commission to supervise the construction of the Washington National Monument, Oct. 11, 1886-June 30, 1888.

The General Order of the Corps of Engineers regarding him says: "General Duane was a most distinguished officer of the Corps of Engineers. His professional attainments were of the highest order, and his public service was characterized by a faithful devotion to every duty."

1844 NATHAN J. JOHNSON, A.M.

At the age of 39 Captain 93d N. Y. Vols., Nov. 3, 1861. Lieut. Colonel 115th N. Y. Vols., April 13, 1864.

Wounded in action, Aug. 18, 1864, at Deep Bottom, Va.; again on Oct. 28, 1864, at Darbytown Road, Va., and again on Jan. 15, 1865, at Fort Fisher, N. C.

Promoted to Colonel, April 29, 1865, having been made Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols. from March 13, 1865, for gallant and meritorious services at the storming of Fort Fisher. Mustered out with his Regiment, June 17, 1865.

*Union College Alumni in the Civil War*

**1844**

- 1844 LOUIS LIVINGSTON, A.B.  
Major 29th N. Y. Vols., May 21, 1861.  
Resigned, June 2, 1861.  
Captain and A. A. D. C. U. S. Vols., July 3, 1862.  
Resigned, March 8, 1864.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious conduct at Antietam and South Mountain, Md.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols. for conspicuous service at Gettysburg.
- 1844 DANIEL MCCARTHY.  
Age 26. Sergeant 88th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 24, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. N. Y. Vols., Sept. 1, 1862.  
Killed at Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 13, 1862.
- 1844 JOHN W. MCKIM, A.B.  
Captain A. Q. M. Vols., Oct. 30, 1863.  
Brevet Major Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, May 7, 1867.
- 1844 SAMUEL T. RICHARDS, A.B.  
At age of 38 Colonel 118th N. Y. Vols., July 7, 1862.  
Served one year, when, his health having failed, he was discharged for disability, July 8, 1863.
- 1844 PIERRE ANTOINE ROY, ΦBK, A.M.  
Captain of Artillery C. S. A. Served in Mississippi and Tennessee.
- 1844 FREDERICK TOWNSEND, A.B.  
At the age of 34 Colonel 3d N. Y. Vols., April 25, 1861.  
Major 18th U. S. Infantry, June 26, 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 9th U. S. Infantry, April 20, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. A. and Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A. in 1865.
- 1844 JAMES LAFAYETTE WITHERSPOON.  
Captain 2nd Arkansas Mounted Riflemen C. S. A., Aug. 1861.  
Major C. S. A. in Menison's Arkansas Regiment, Cabell's Brigade, Nov., 1863.  
Captured in Nov., 1863, and was prisoner at Little Rock.

## *Union College Alumni in the Civil War*

**1845 — 1846**

- 1845 HENRY L. KING, A.B.  
Enlisted in 9th N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
Major and Additional Paymaster U. S. A., June 1, 1861.  
Mustered out, Nov. 1, 1865.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., Sept. 27, 1865.
- 1845 JOHN A. LIDELL, ΦBK, A.M., M.D.  
Major and Surgeon U. S. A., Aug. 3, 1861.  
Mustered out, June 24, 1865.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols., June 1, 1865.
- 1845 CALVIN LITTLEFIELD, A.M.  
Age 39. Captain 94th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 18, 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel, March 17, 1862.  
Discharged, Nov. 1, 1862.
- 845 JONATHAN ROBESON McDONALD, A.B.  
Major 10th Texas Infantry C. S. A.  
Served four years.
- 1845 ALEXANDER VERNON MURDOCK, ΦBK, A. M.  
Age 35. Chaplain 38th N. Y. Vols., June 8, 1861.  
Discharged, Oct. 25, 1862.
- 1845 JAMES S. MCKIE, A.M., M.D.  
Captain U. S. Vols. Was specially commended for his  
services at Balls Bluff.
- 1846 SIMON S. GOSS, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 39. Chaplain 75th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 6, 1862.  
Discharged, March 4, 1863.
- 1846 JAMES D. JONES, A.M., M.D.  
Surgeon 22d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 19, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 27, 1865.
- 1846 DANIEL S. PRINTUP, ΦBK, A.M.  
Major C. S. A. Commanding Confederate forces at Rich-  
mond, Ky., Sept. and Oct. 1862.  
Major 55th Georgia Regiment, April 25, 1863, at Clin-  
ton, Tenn., and at Cumberland Gap in June, 1863. His  
command was surrendered to Gen. Burnside, Sept. 9, 1863,  
by the Confederate General in command, although Major P.  
had protested against surrender.



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**1847 — 1848**

- 1847** GABRIEL BOUCK, ΦBK, A.B.  
Captain 2d Wis. Vols. in 1861.  
Colonel 18th Wis. Vols., April 21, 1862.  
Resigned, Jan. 4, 1864.
- 1847** JULIEN PAYDRAS FAISON.  
Chaplain 1st Nor. Carolina Cavalry, C. S. A.  
Chaplain 38th Nor. Carolina Infantry C. S. A.  
Served sixteen months.
- 1847** SELAH GRIDLEY PERKINS, ΦBK, A.B., M.D.  
Captain 1st Vermont Vols.  
Killed at Ashbys Gap, Va., Sept. 22, 1862.
- 1847** PETER E. SICKLER, M.D.  
Age 35. Asst. Surgeon 48th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 15, 1862.  
Asst. Surgeon 47th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 23, 1862.  
Major and Surgeon 47th N. Y. Vols., May 1, 1863, to  
Sept. 30, 1863.  
Asst. Surgeon 10th N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 30, 1863.  
Captured, June 11, 1864.  
Paroled and discharged for disability, Nov. 30, 1864.  
Surgeon 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Jan. 21, 1865.  
Died of chronic diarrhea, April 14, 1865.
- 1847** DAVID TULLY, D.D.  
Age 42. Chaplain 77th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 23, 1861.  
Discharged, July 7, 1862.  
He served in the Peninsula Campaign, the Siege of Yorktown and the Seven-day battles.
- 1848** CHESTER ALAN ARTHUR, ΦBK, LL.D.  
Though not in the U. S. service he did effective work for the Army while on the Staff of E. D. Morgan, the Great War Governor of New York State, by whom he was made Brigadier General and Chief Engineer on his Staff in 1861, Inspector General, Feb. 10, 1862, and Quartermaster General, July 9, 1862. He was elected Vice-President of the United States with Gen. Garfield as President, and succeeded to the Presidency when Garfield died by an assassin's bullet. He served the unexpired term to the satisfaction of the Country and with great credit to himself and his Alma Mater.

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### 1848 — 1849

- 1848 HENRY K. CUSHING, M.D., LL.D.  
Surgeon 7th Ohio Vols., June 21, 1861.  
Resigned, Sept. 6, 1861.
- 1848 GEORGE K. DAUCHY, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 32. 1st Lieut. 12th N. Y. Independent Battery, Oct. 7, 1861.  
He declined a commission as Captain of the 16th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, remaining with his Battery and was mustered out after three years active service, Nov. 17, 1864.
- 1848 JAMES S. DOBBIN, A.B.  
Private 123d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Wounded, May 3, 1863, at Chancellorsville, Va.  
Absent in hospital when company was mustered out.
- 1848 JAMES G. MOREY, A.B.  
Was in Confederate Army.
- 1848 CHARLES C. NOTT, A.M., LL.D.  
Age 34. Lieut. Colonel 131st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 14, 1862.  
Promoted to Colonel 176th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 10, 1863.  
Captured in action at Brashear City, La., June 23, 1864.  
Paroled, June 24, 1864.  
Mustered out, Aug. 8, 1864.
- 1848 DEXTER REYNOLDS, A.B.  
Paymaster 3d N. Y. Vols., May 18 to June 18, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Asst. Paymaster U. S. Vols., July 4, 1861.
- 1848 LEWIS TICE, ΦBK, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 17th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 12, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 2, 1863.
- 1849 ELI STILLMAN BAILEY, A.B.  
Major and Paymaster U. S. A., Feb. 19, 1863.  
Mustered out, April 30, 1866.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel, 1865.
- 1849 EDWARD LOUIS BERTHOUD, ΦBK, A.M., C.E.  
1st Lieut. 2d Colorado Vols., 1862.  
1st Lieut. 2d Colorado Cavalry, 1863-4.  
Captain 2d Colorado Cavalry, July, 1864.

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### 1849

Adjutant General, District of the Border, Mo., and Engineer on the Staffs of Generals Brown, Pleasanton, Rosecranz, Sanborn and Dodge in 1864-5.

Inspector and Chief of Staff Gen. Ford, Dist. of Arkansas. Mustered out, June, 1865.

1849 WILLIAM A. BIRD.

1st Lieut. 27th N. Y. Light Artillery, Nov. 29, 1862.

Discharged, April 13, 1863.

1849 CLARENCE BUEL, ΦBK, A.M.

Age 30. Captain 2d N. Y. Light Cavalry, Aug. 14, 1861.

Colonel 169th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 8, 1862.

Wounded in action at Edenton Road, Va., April 24, 1863, and was discharged for disability, Feb. 13, 1864.

1849 SILAS WRIGHT BURT, ΦBK, C.E.

Colonel and Asst. Inspector General N. Y. State on the Staffs of Governors E. D. Morgan, Horatio Seymour and R. E. Fenton. He was engaged in raising, organizing and equipping Volunteers from 1861 to 1865.

1849 DANIEL BUTTERFIELD, A.M., LL.D.

Age 30. Colonel 12th N. Y. Vols., April 19, 1861.

Appointed Acting Brigadier General of the 8th Brigade, under Gen. Patterson, July 14, 1861.

Mustered out with Regiment, August 5, 1861.

Lieut. Colonel 12th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.

Brig. General U. S. Vols., Sept. 7, 1861.

Major General U. S. Vols., Nov. 29, 1862.

Chief of Staff Army of the Potomac, 1863.

Wounded at Gettysburg, Pa.

Colonel 5th Infantry U. S. A., July 1, 1863.

Mustered out as Major General U. S. V., Aug. 24, 1865.

Voted Congressional Medal for Valor.

Brevet Brig. General U. S. A. and Brevet Major General U. S. A., 1865.

1849 ALLAN MCFARLAND, A.B.

Chaplain 98th Illinois Vols., Sept. 21, 1863.

Mustered out with Regiment, June 27, 1865.



*Wm. H. R. Lawson*



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**1849**

- 1849 ANDREW HEATLEY GREEN, ΦBK, A.M.  
Captain 51st Regiment N. Y. State troops called out to  
repel invasion by Confederates from Canada.
- 1849 WM. SILLIMAN HILLYER.  
Captain and Aide de Camp to Gen. Grant, Sept. 8, 1861.  
Colonel and A. A. D. C., May 3, 1862.  
Served in the Vicksburg campaign.  
Resigned, May 15, 1863.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols. for gallant and meri-  
torious services, March 13, 1865.
- 1849 DAVID T. MORRILL, ΦBK, D.D.  
Chaplain 26th New Jersey Vols., Sept. 18, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 27, 1863.
- 1849 JACOB L. PEARSE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Chaplain 74th Illinois Vols., 1864-5.
- 1849 ROBERT BARNWELL POTTER.  
Age 32. Major 51st N. Y. Vols., Oct. 12, 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 51st N. Y. Vols., Nov. 1, 1861.  
Wounded at Newbern, N. C., March 14, 1862.  
Colonel, Sept. 10, 1862.  
Brig. General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1863.  
Brevet Major General U. S. V., Aug. 1, 1864.  
Major General U. S. Vols., Sept. 29, 1865.  
He was shot through the body before Petersburg and  
although believed to be fatally wounded, recovered.  
Mustered out, June 15, 1866.
- 1849 JAMES REILLY, A.B., M.D.  
Major and Surgeon 33d New Jersey Vols., Sept. 5, 1863.  
He served as Brigade Surgeon in the Army of the Tennessee.  
Mustered out with his Regiment, July 17, 1865.
- 1849 SAMUEL ALLEN RICE, A.B.  
Colonel 33d Iowa Infantry, Oct. 1, 1862.  
Brig. General U. S. Vols., Aug. 4, 1863.  
Died, July 6, 1864, of wounds received in the Battle of  
Jenkins Ferry, Arkansas, April 3, 1864.

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**1849 — 1850**

- 1849 JOHN MCKIE STARK, A.M., M.D.  
Surgeon U. S. Vols. at Fort Schuyler, N. Y., and Washington, D. C., 1861-4.  
Acting Surgeon on Exchange and Transportation boats for sick and wounded, 1864-5.
- 1849 JAMES W. WILSON, A.B.  
Corporal 6th N. Y. Light Artillery, Sept. 17, 1861.  
Sergeant, April 1, 1862.  
2d Lieut., June 9, 1863.  
1st Lieut., March 1, 1865.  
Mustered out with Battery, July 8, 1865.
- 1850 WM. RUFUS BAKER, A.B.  
Officer in the U. S. Navy.
- 1850 GILBERT W. BECKER.  
Age 31. 1st Lieut. 30th N. Y. Vols., May 14, 1861.  
Mustered out with Company, June 18, 1863.  
1st Lieut. 2d Veteran N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 29, 1863.  
Captain, Nov. 10, 1863.  
Mustered out with Company, Nov. 8, 1865.  
Brevet Major for meritorious services, Dec. 9, 1865.
- 1850 LINUS D. BISHOP, A.M.  
Captain 9th Illinois Cavalry, Oct. 15, 1861.  
Provost Marshal at Memphis and at Aberdeen, Miss.  
Major, 1863.  
Mustered out with his Regiment, October, 1864.  
Lieut. Colonel 6th U. S. Veteran Infantry.
- 1850 THEODORE FRANCIS HALL, ΦBK, A.B., M.D.  
Age 34. Surgeon 140th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 10, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, Feb. 24, 1863.
- 1850 ABRAHAM B. LONGAKER, ΦBK, A.M.  
1st Sergeant and Quartermaster 41st Pa. Vols. and Acting Commissary 5th Brigade, Dept. of Susquehanna.
- 1850 HENRY MARKELL, A.B.  
Captain 44th Iowa Vols., June 1, 1864.  
Mustered out with Company, Sept. 15, 1864.

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**1850 — 1851**

- 1850 FRANCIS E. MARTINDALE, A.B., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., Feb. 17, 1865.  
In charge of U. S. Hospital, Worcester, Mass.  
Brevet Major for meritorious services, Dec. 9, 1865.  
Mustered out, January 4, 1866.
- 1850 JACOB MOORE, A.B.  
Captain 6th Delaware Vols., Dec., 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel, June 27, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept., 1863.
- 1850 NORMAN OTTMAN.  
Served in N. Y. Vols., died 1863.
- 1850 JEFFERSON REYNOLDS, A.B.  
Served in the Pa. Vols.
- 1850 JOHN CONVERSE STARKWEATHER.  
Colonel 1st Wis. Vols., May 17, 1861.  
Brigadier General Vols., July 22, 1863.  
Resigned, May 11, 1865.  
Brevet Major General Vols., 1865.
- 1850 JAMES VAN VOAST, A.B.  
Graduated from West Point.  
Provost Marshal San Francisco, 1862-4.
- 1850 R. HOWARD WALLACE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 33. Chaplain 19th and 91st N. Y. Vols., 1861-2.  
Chaplain 168th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 18, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Oct. 31, 1863.
- 1850 HENRY B. WHITON, A.B., M.D.  
Age 33. Asst. Surgeon 2nd N. Y. Vols., Sept. 30, 1861.  
Major and Surgeon 60th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 17, 1863.  
Mustered out, Oct. 31, 1864.
- 1850 GUSTAVUS RODOLPHUS WHITRIDGE, A.M.  
Sergeant 3d South Carolina Cavalry C. S. A. for four years.
- 1851 EDWIN CLAY BECKER, A.B.  
Captain A. Q. M. Vols., April 14, 1862.  
Mustered out, Nov. 27, 1865.



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**1851**

- 1851 DEWITT C. BOOTH.  
Captain C. S. A. in command of the Roanoke Home Guards,  
March to July, 1862.
- 1851 LEMUEL OWENS BRIDEWELL, A.M.  
Captain Hindman's Arkansas Legion C. S. A., 1861.  
Major Hindman's Arkansas Legion C. S. A., 1862.  
On the staff of Gen. Hardie, 1862.  
Paroled at Augusta, Ga., May, 1865.
- 1851 ALFRED P. CRAFTS, A.B., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., Sept. 25, 1862.
- 1851 THOMAS W. B. CREWS, A.B.  
Entered Confederate service in 1861 and became Colonel  
C. S. A.
- 1851 JAMES W. CROCKER, ΦBK, A.B.  
Captain in a Miss. Regiment C. S. A., 1861.  
Colonel, 1865.
- 1851 JOHN C. FERGUSON, A.B., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 7th Ohio Vols., May 4, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June, 1864.
- 1851 SAMUEL N. HARTWELL.  
Acting 1st Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, Dec. 20, 1861.  
Acting Chief Engineer U. S. Navy, March 24, 1863.  
Honorably discharged, Jan. 22, 1866.
- 1851 WILLIAM AYRAULT JACKSON, A.B.  
When 29 years old he resigned as Inspector General on  
Gov. E. D. Morgan's staff, May 14, 1861, to become  
Colonel 18th N. Y. Vols.  
His Regiment joined the Army of the Potomac in Gen.  
Newton's Brigade of Gen. Franklin's Division.  
Took part in the first Bull Run battle and Colonel Jackson  
was commended for gallantry.  
He was stricken with fever in October and died in the  
Military Hospital at Washington, Nov. 10, 1861.  
He was the oldest child of Prof. Isaac W. Jackson.

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**1851 — 1852**

- 1851 OVA HOYT SEYMOUR, A.M.  
Chaplain 157th N. Y. Vols., March 7, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 10, 1865.
- 1851 ALFRED B. SMITH, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 36. Major 150th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 24, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel 150th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 1, 1865.  
Colonel 150th N. Y. Vols., April 24, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 8, 1865.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious services in Georgia and the Carolinas, March 13, 1865.
- 1851 JAMES H. VAIL, A.M.  
Served under Gen. Ewing.
- 1851 JACOB WILSON, ΦBK, A.B., Ph.D.  
Age 31. Captain 43d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 15, 1861.  
Honorably discharged because of ill health, Jan. 25, 1862.
- 1852 JOB HIRAM CHAMPION, ΦBK, A.M.  
Chaplain 179th Penn. Vols., May 29, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 27, 1863.  
Wounded at Fair Oaks, Va.
- 1852 FRANCIS T. CHASE, ΦBK, A.M.  
He was room-mate of James W. Crocker, 1851, who was from Mississippi. Chase went South to teach, and, although from New Hampshire, he stuck to his room-mate, becoming an officer in the same Confederate Regiment and serving through the War.  
Captain C. S. A., 1861-5.
- 1852 NELSON S. DRAKE, M.D.  
Age 32. Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., Aug. 19, 1863.  
Dismissed, May 11, 1864.  
Disability removed, June 24, 1864.
- 1852 NICHOLAS H. FENNELL, A.B.  
Captain North Carolina Regiment C. S. A., 1861-4.
- 1852 WM. FURNESS.  
Private Battery A Chicago Light Artillery, April 19, 1861.  
At the end of three months' service re-enlisted in Battery A 1st Illinois Artillery, July 16, 1861.  
Discharged for disability, Jan. 28, 1862.

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**1852**

- 1852 FRANCIS B. HALL, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 35. Chaplain 16th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 22, 1863.  
Congressional Medal of Honor for distinguished bravery at  
the battle of Salem Heights, Va., May 3, 1863.
- 1852 DENNIS R. HARDER, A.M.  
Private N. Y. Vols.
- 1852 EDWARD H. HORNER, ΦBK, M.D.  
Surgeon 127th Pa. Vols., March 6, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 29, 1863.
- 1852 OSCAR B. HITCHCOCK, ΦBK, A.M.  
Chaplain U. S. Vols., 1862-6.
- 1852 ROBERT TALAFREE JOHNSON, A.B.  
Age 29. Captain 72nd N. Y. Vols., June 4, 1861.  
Wounded at Williamsburg, Va., May 5, 1862.  
Major 144th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 26, 1862.  
Discharged, Dec. 22, 1862.
- 1852 JOHN H. KINYOUN, A.M., M.D.  
Captain and Surgeon 28th North Carolina Vols. C. S. A.,  
1861-5.
- 1852 JOHN BLAIR LINN.  
Age 30. Chaplain 100th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 24, 1862.  
Discharged, Oct. 16, 1864.
- 1852 ROBERT NEIL McLAREN.  
2nd Lieut. 6th Minn. Vols., Aug. 1, 1862.  
Captain, Aug. 18, 1862.  
Major, Aug. 22, 1862.  
Colonel 2nd Minn. Cavalry, Jan. 14, 1864.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Dec. 14, 1865.  
Mustered out, Nov. 17, 1865.
- 1852 WILLIAM HENRY MERRIAM, A.M.  
Age 30. Private 169th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 29, 1862.  
1st Lieut., Oct. 6, 1863.  
Mustered out, May 28, 1864.  
Brevet Major N. Y. Vols., 1865.

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**1852**

1852 JULIEN H. PICOT.

Captain 31st North Carolina C. S. A.

He served through the War. He was captured at Roanoke Island in Feb., 1862, by Gen. J. F. Hartranft, 1853, who had been his friend in college. He was shown every courtesy and was paroled in nine days and exchanged, Aug. 27, 1862.

1852 GEORGE W. SNYDER, A.B.

Graduated at West Point in 1856 at the head of his class.  
Brevet Lieut. Corps of Engineers, Aug. 1, 1856.

2nd Lieut. U. S. Engineers, Sept. 1, 1856.

1st Lieut. U. S. Engineers, Feb. 26, 1861.

Brevet Captain U. S. A. for services in defense of Fort Sumter, S. C., April 14, 1861.

Brevet Major U. S. A. for services at Manassas, Va.

Served on Gen. Heintzleman's staff at the battle of Bull Run.

Died when 28 years of age at Washington, D. C., Nov. 17, 1861, from exposure and disease contracted at the siege of Charleston.

1852 JAMES VAN VOAST, ΦBK, A.B.

Brevet 2nd Lieut. 3d U. S. Artillery, July 1, 1852.

2nd Lieut., Aug. 22, 1853.

Lieut. 9th U. S. Infantry, March 3, 1855.

Regimental Qm. (to June 11, 1858), July 4, 1855.

Captain, March 1, 1861.

Major 18th U. S. Inf., Dec. 29, 1863.

Colonel 16th U. S. Inf., 1871.

1852 DE GARMO J. WHITING, A.B.

1st Lieut. R. Qm. 2nd Mich. Vols.

Captain A. Qm. U. S. Vols., Dec. 3, 1862.

Died in 1864.

1852 JOHN B. YATES, C.E.

Captain 1st Mich. Engineers, 1861.

Major 1st Mich. Engineers, 1863.

Colonel 1st Mich. Engineers, Jan. 8, 1865.

Mustered out with his Regiment, Sept. 22, 1865.

Was in Sherman's march to the sea.

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**1853**

- 1853 ELLSWORTH N. BATES, A.M.  
Captain 20th Iowa Vols.  
Resigned, Sept. 18, 1863.  
Died in 1863.
- 1853 HARMON J. BLISS, A.B.  
Age 30. Captain 72nd N. Y. Vols., May 28, 1861.  
Wounded in action, Chancellorsville, Va., May 3, 1863.  
Died of his wounds, June 6, 1863.
- 1853 ANDRIES BRANT, JR., C.E.  
Age 36. Captain 150th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 23, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, Dec. 18, 1863.  
Died, Dec. 23, 1863.
- 1853 HOLMES COLBERT.  
A Choctaw Indian; was Colonel of a Regiment of Indians  
in the Civil War.
- 1853 JOSEPH SPEED CONRAD, A.M.  
Graduated at West Point in 1857.  
Brevet 2nd Lieut. 4th U. S. Infantry, July 1, 1857.  
2nd Lieut. 2nd U. S. Infantry, Oct. 12, 1857.  
1st Lieut. 2nd U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Captain 2nd U. S. Infantry, Nov. 1, 1861.  
Severely wounded in battle at Wilson's Creek, Mo., Aug.  
10, 1861.  
Brevet Major and Brevet Colonel, Aug. 1, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel for gallant and meritorious services in the  
Civil War, March 13, 1865.
- 1853 JAMES C. COOK, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 27. 1st Lieut. 25th N. Y. Vols., April 19, 1861.  
Mustered out with company, Aug. 4, 1861.
- 1853 JOSEPH SWIFT COOK, ΦBK, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 31st N. Y. Vols., 1862.  
Resigned, April 18, 1863.
- 1853 JOHN FREDERICK HARTRANFT, C.E., A.M.  
Colonel 4th Pa. Vols., April 26, 1861.  
On Gen. Franklin's staff at the battle of Bull Run.  
Colonel 51st Pa. Vols., Nov. 16, 1861.

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**1853**

Commanded a Brigade in the Wilderness and Spotsylvania battles.

Promoted to Brigadier General U. S. Vols., May 12, 1864.

Brevet Major General U. S. Vols., March 25, 1865, for conspicuous gallantry in recapture of Fort Steadman.

Mustered out, Jan. 15, 1866.

Awarded Medal of Honor by Congress, Aug. 21, 1886, for having volunteered his services at the battle of Bull Run, July 21, 1861, when his Regiment marched to the rear to be mustered out.

1853 STEPHEN H. INGERSOLL.

Signal officer U. S. Navy.

1853 ALLAN HYRET JACKSON, A.B., LL.B.

Age 26. Captain 91st N. Y. Vols., Oct. 1, 1861.

Major 134th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 16, 1863

Lieut. Colonel 134th N. Y. Vols., March 3, 1863.

Colonel 134th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 11, 1863.

Wounded in action at Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864.

Mustered out with his Regiment, June 10, 1865.

Brevet Major for gallant and meritorious services, March, 1865.

After the War he entered the Regular Army as 2nd Lieut. 7th U. S. Infantry and served until 1898, when he was retired as Colonel because of age.

1853 ALBERT LINDLEY LEE, A.M.

Major 7th Kansas Cavalry, Oct. 29, 1861.

Colonel 7th Kansas Cavalry, May 17, 1862.

Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Nov. 29, 1862.

Resigned, May 4, 1865.

1853 JOHN MCCONIHIE, A.M.

Captain 1st Nebraska Infantry, 1861.

Age 28. Lieut. Colonel 169 N. Y. Vols., Oct. 6, 1862.

Colonel 169th N. Y. Vols., April 12, 1864.

Killed in action at Cold Harbor, Va., June 1, 1864.

Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols. from June 1, 1864. for valor in battle.

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**1853**

- 1853 DONALD MCLAREN, ΦBK, DD.  
Chaplain U. S. Navy, March 10, 1863.  
Acting Professor of English and Ethics in the U. S. Naval Academy for two years and Chaplain of the Naval Academy for three years and of the Naval Home in Philadelphia three years.  
Retired as Rear Admiral U. S. N., Jan., 1907.
- 1853 CLINTON A. MOON, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 34. Captain 121st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.  
Discharged, Jan. 17, 1863.
- 1853 FRANK GARDNER NOYES, A.M.  
Captain and Commissary U. S. Vols., Nov. 26, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel Vols., June 2, 1865.  
Brevet Major Vols., Sept. 21, 1865.  
Mustered out, Oct. 9, 1865.
- 1853 HIRAM SCOFIELD, A.B.  
Private 2nd Iowa Vols., 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 2nd Iowa Vols., 1861.  
1st Lieut. 2nd Iowa Vols., 1861.  
Captain and A. A. General U. S. Vols., June 9, 1862.  
Colonel 47th U. S. Colored Troops, May 5, 1863.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Jan. 5, 1866.
- 1853 THOMAS STEELE.  
Served in Confederate Army, 1861-4.
- 1853 RALPH VAN BRUNT, A.B.  
Enrolled 3d Wis. Vols., April 19, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 3d Wis. Vols., July 2, 1861.  
Captain 3d Wis. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.  
Remustered for 3 years, July 29, 1864.  
A. A. A. G. 2nd Brigade 4th Div. 14th Army Corps.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious services, March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 18, 1865.
- 1853 ALBERT WOODCOCK, ΦBK, A.B.  
Captain 92nd Ill. Vols., 1862.  
Major 92nd Ill. Vols., June 28, 1864.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols., June 18, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 21, 1865.

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**1854**

- 1854 WM. RATLIFF BRANDON, A.M., M.D.  
Enlisted in 1861 in the 21st Mississippi Regiment C. S. A., called the "Jeff Davis Guards." Taken prisoner at Fredericksburg, severely wounded at Malvern Hill and at Gettysburg, and died eventually from his wounds.
- 1854 ROBERT ORTON BROWN, A.B.  
Private U. S. A., 1861.  
Wounded in battle of Franklin, Tenn., and died from his wounds, Aug. 30, 1864.
- 1854 JAMES BURT.  
Paymaster U. S. A., 1862-4.  
Colonel and Asst. Commissary General N. Y. State, 1864-9.
- 1854 JOHN JAMES CAMERON, ΦBK, A.M.  
Chaplain U. S. Vols., 1861.  
Died in Army Hospital, Yorktown, Va., May 14, 1862.
- 1854 JOSEPH M. CRAIG, M.D.  
Surgeon C. S. A. from Feb., 1862, in charge of hospitals at New Orleans and Clinton, La., and in Feb., 1863, became Surgeon 4th La. Infantry of Gibson's Louisiana Brigade, Stevenson's Division, S. D. Lee's Corps, Army of the Tennessee.  
Captured with Regiment at Nashville, Tenn.  
Paroled, April 25, 1865.
- 1854 PETER RENSELAER FURBECK, ΦBK, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon Ira Harris Military Hospital, Albany, N. Y., 1865.
- 1854 CYRUS LORENZO GORTON, A.B.  
1st Lieut R. Q. M. 2nd Kansas Cavalry, 1861-4.  
Captain and A. Q. M. U. S. Vols., June 11, 1864-5.
- 1854 HARVEY S. LOSEE, ΦBK, A.M.  
Lieut. C. S. A., 1862.  
Captain and Commissary C. S. A., 1863-5.
- 1854 GEORGE HENRY NOYES, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 2nd Iowa Cavalry, Sept., 1861.  
Major and Surgeon 2nd Iowa Cavalry, June 9, 1862.  
Surgeon in Chief of the 16th Army Corps.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept. 17, 1865.



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**1854 — 1855**

- 1854 JOHN VIRTUE RICE, ΦBK, A.M.  
2nd Lieut. 5th Delaware Vols., Oct. 25, 1862.  
Mustered out with company, Aug., 1863.
- 1854 P. G. VALENTINE, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 2nd Kentucky Cavalry C. S. A., 1861.  
Surgeon 2nd Kentucky Cavalry C. S. A., 1863-5.
- 1854 JOHN B. VAN NAME.  
Age 28. Captain 89th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 18, 1861.  
Discharged, Oct. 6, 1862.
- 1854 MALCOLM W. WOODWORTH, ΦBK, A.B.  
Chaplain of a Virginia Regiment C. S. A.
- 1854 AUSTIN A. YATES, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 26. Enrolled 134th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 30, 1862.  
Captain 134th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 3, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, June 10, 1863.  
Captain 14th Regiment Veteran Reserve Corps, Aug. 13,  
1863.  
Assistant to Judge Advocate General for a year.  
Mustered out, Aug. 20, 1866.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. from March 13, 1865.
- 1855 ALEXANDER ADAIR, ΦBK, A.M.  
Chaplain U. S. Vols., 1862-5.
- 1855 ANDREW ANDERSON.  
Captain 9th Indiana Vols., April 22, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 21, 1861.
- 1855 HORATIO D. BROWN, A.B.  
2nd Lieut. 5th Minn. Vols., 1862.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 11th Minn. Vols., Aug. 5, 1864  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 26, 1865.
- 1855 THOMAS F. BOWIE.  
Captain Virginia Cavalry C. S. A.  
Major Virginia Cavalry in Gen. Fitzhugh Lee's Division.  
Major and A. A. G. Gen. Pickett's Division, Nov. 4, 1864.  
Wounded at Todd's Tavern, Va.

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### **1855**

- 1855 EDWARD HENRY CHASE, A.B.  
Private 8th Pa. Vols., April 22, 1861.  
Prisoner of War, 1861-2.  
Mustered out, June 16, 1864.
- 1855 CLEAVELAND J. CAMPBELL, A.B.  
Enlisted as Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 16, 1861.  
Age 25. 2nd Lieut. 1st N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 28, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 152nd N. Y. Vols., Oct. 25, 1862.  
Captain, April 22, 1863.  
Discharged to become Lieut. Colonel 23d U. S. Colored  
Infantry, March 20, 1864.  
Colonel 23d U. S. Colored Infantry, July 15, 1864.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1863.  
Died, June 13, 1865, from wound received at the "Crater,"  
Petersburg, Va., July 30, 1864.
- 1855 AUGUSTUS G. FEATHER.  
Captain 138th Pa. Vols., 1863.  
Discharged, Sept. 13, 1864.
- 1855 MORRIS J. FRANKLIN, A.M., M.D.  
Surgeon 4th N. Y. Cavalry, Aug., 1861.  
Resigned, Oct. 11, 1862.  
He served as Post Surgeon in charge of hospitals at Chatta-  
nooga and Nashville, Tenn.
- 1855 DAVID LITTLE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Major and Surgeon 13th N. Y. Vols., May 8, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 14, 1863.
- 1855 CAMPBELL K. PECK, A.M.  
Captain 45th Iowa Vols., May 25, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept. 16, 1864.
- 1855 PHILIP SIDNEY POST, A.B.  
2nd Lieut. 59th Illinois Vols., July 17, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 59th Illinois Vols., July 21, 1861.  
Major 59th Illinois Vols., Jan. 17, 1862.  
Colonel 59th Illinois Vols., March 20, 1862.  
In Oct., 1863, Acting Brigadier General in command of  
1st Brigade, 1st Division, 20th Army Corps in Tennessee.

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**1855 — 1856**

Brevet Brigadier General, Dec. 16, 1864, for gallant services before Nashville.

Mustered out with Regiment, Dec. 8, 1865.

Awarded Medal of Honor by Congress, March 8, 1893, for valor at Nashville, Dec. 15 and 16, 1864, where he was struck down by a grape shot.

- 1855 CLEMENT H. SINNICKSON.  
Captain N. J. Vols., 1861.
- 1855 GEORGE CROCKETT STRONG.  
Left college to go to West Point.  
Brevet 2nd Lieut. of Ordnance, July 1, 1857.  
2nd Lieut., July 31, 1859.  
1st Lieut., Jan. 25, 1861.  
Captain, March 3, 1863.  
Major and A. A. G. U. S. Vols., Oct. 1, 1861.  
Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Nov. 29, 1862.  
Major General, July 18, 1863.  
Died, July 30, 1863, of wounds received at assault on Fort Wagner, S. C., July 18, 1863.
- 1855 EDWARD DAVIS THOMPSON.  
2nd Lieut. 2nd Kansas Vols., May 14, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant, May 25, 1861.  
Mustered out, Oct. 31, 1861.
- 1855 WILLIAM W. TICE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 30. 2nd Lieut. 12th N. Y. Independent Batt., Dec. 30, 1861.  
Discharged, April 17, 1863.
- 1856 NATHANIEL S. CHEESEMAN, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon N. Y. Vols., May, 1861.  
Surgeon N. Y. Vols., June, 1862.  
Surgeon U. S. Vols., May, 1863.  
Mustered out, May, 1867.
- 1856 COLUMBUS CORNFORTH, A.M.  
Private 42nd Pa. Vols., 1861-3.  
Chaplain 150th Pa. Vols., Dec. 29, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 23, 1865.

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### 1856

- 1856 ALSON C. DAVIS, A.B.  
Colonel 2nd Kansas Cavalry, 1861.  
Resigned, Feb. 20, 1862.
- 1856 WILLIAM G. DONNAN, ΦBK, A.B.  
Private 27th Iowa Vols., Aug. 12, 1862.  
2nd Lieut. 27th Iowa Vols., 1862.  
1st Lieut. 27th Iowa Vols., Aug. 24, 1863.  
Brevet Captain on Gen. A. J. Smith's staff.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 8, 1865.
- 1856 SAMUEL TROWANT KEENE, A.B.  
1st Lieut. 20th Maine Vols., 1862.  
Captain 20th Maine Vols., 1863.  
Killed in battle, June 22, 1864.  
His last words were: "It is well, I die for my country."
- 1856 GEORGE W. LAWTON, ΦBK, A.M.  
Captain 4th Michigan Cavalry, Jan. 1, 1864.  
Brevet Major from March 13, 1865.
- 1856 SAMUEL MATHEWS.  
Acting Master U. S. Navy, May 17, 1861.  
Killed in action, March 22, 1862.
- 1856 SAMUEL MCCONIHE, A.M.  
Age 25. Captain 93d N. Y. Vols., Nov. 6, 1861.  
Major 93d N. Y. Vols., Dec. 3, 1863.  
Wounded in the Wilderness, May, 1864.  
Colonel, Dec. 17, 1864.  
Discharged, Feb. 15, 1865.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols. for conspicuous gallantry in the Wilderness and Spottsylvania battles, March 13, 1865.
- 1856 ALEX B. MOREY, A.B., D.D.  
Private Co. G 132nd Indiana Vols., May 3, 1864.  
On request of Governor Morton he left the Regiment to take part in the work of the Christian Commission, and was so engaged until the close of the War.

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**1856**

- 1856 EMORY WASHBURN MUENSCHER, C.E., A.M.**  
Sergeant 4th Ohio Vols., April 19, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 30th Ohio Vols., August 15, 1861.  
Captain 30th Ohio Vols., August 12, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel 30th Ohio Vols., January 6, 1865.  
Mustered out with regiment, January 17, 1865.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Wounded at Antietam. Commanded the company that took the hill known as Sherman's Heights at Mission Ridge, November 24, 1863, the first Union troops to gain the ridge.
- 1856 CHARLES ELLIOTT PEASE.**  
1st Lieut. 44th N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
Captain and A. A. General U. S. Vols., May 25, 1863.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for conspicuous services, Aug. 1, 1864.  
He served on the staffs of Gen. Van Allen and Gen. Joe Hooker.  
At Appomattox he carried the terms of surrender from Gen. Grant to Gen. Lee.  
Resigned, April 20, 1865.
- 1856 EGBERT PHELPS, ΦBK, A.B.**  
1st Lieut. 19th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Captain 19th U. S. Infantry, March 16, 1864.  
Resigned, March 18, 1865.
- 1856 ARCHIBALD CRAIG RHOADES, M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Navy, July 30, 1861.  
Passed Asst. Surgeon U. S. Navy, June 22, 1864.  
Surgeon U. S. Navy, March 19, 1865.  
Served on the Pocahontas in 1862-3, at the Naval Hospital New York, 1864, and on the Bienville in 1865.
- 1856 ROY STONE, A.B.**  
Major 13th Penn. Vols., 1861.  
Colonel 149th Penn. Vols., Aug. 29, 1862.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Sept. 7, 1864, for conspicuous services.  
Discharged, Jan. 27, 1865.

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### 1856

- 1856 **BENJAMIN F. THAYER, A.M., M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon 7th Missouri Vols., Aug. 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Oct. 22, 1864.
- 1856 **MAUS ROSA VEDDER, M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols.  
On duty at Fairfax C. H., Va., and later Discharging  
Surgeon at Carver Barracks, Washington, D. C.  
Resigned in 1863.
- 1856 **JAMES VOORHEES, A.B.**  
Private 5th California Vols., Nov. 1861.  
Discharged at La Mesilla, New Mexico, Dec. 31, 1864.  
His Regiment served in Arizona and New Mexico.
- 1856 **FREDERICK FULLER WEAD, A.B., LL.B.**  
Age 25. 1st Lieut. 16th N. Y. Vols., May 3, 1861.  
Resigned, Aug. 9, 1862, to become Lieut. Colonel 98th  
N. Y. Vols., Aug. 19, 1862.  
Colonel 98th N. Y. Vols., March 4, 1864.  
Acting Brigadier General in command of a Division of the  
18th Army Corps.  
Killed in action at Cold Harbor, Va., June 3, 1864.
- 1856 **HAROLD MOSBY WHITE, A.B.**  
Private Iowa Vols., 1861, refusing a Commission  
He left the hospital to take part in the battle of Pittsburg  
Landing. After the battle he was so completely exhausted  
that he died in a few weeks.
- 1856 **JOHN WILDER, A.B., LL.B.**  
2nd Lieut. 54th Mass. Colored Infantry, 1863.  
Captain 2nd U. S. Colored Infantry, June 22, 1863.  
Lieut. Colonel U. S. Colored Infantry, July 30, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Jan. 5, 1866.
- 1856 **WILLIAM WOOD, A.M.**  
Age 32. Captain 9th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, April 24,  
1862.  
Major 9th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, June 28, 1864.  
Lieut. Colonel 9th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Nov. 28, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious ser-  
vices at Petersburg, April 20, 1865.

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**1856 — 1857**

Mustered out with Regiment, July 6, 1865.

Wounded at Sailors Creek, Va., April 6, 1865, losing an eye.

1856 CHARLES T. WYMAN, C.E.

Captain 5th Wis. Vols., Sept. 30, 1864.

Mustered out with Regiment, June 20, 1865.

1857 MOSES HAWKS BLISS, A.B.

Corporal 44th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 4, 1861.

Wounded at Mine Run, Va., Nov. 29, 1863.

Mustered out, Oct. 11, 1864.

1857 GEORGE PUTNAM CLARK, A.B.

Enlisted at the beginning of the War in the 6th Missouri Vols. and was soon after appointed Captain U. S. Vols. by Gen. John C. Fremont.

Promoted to Major, Lieut. Colonel and Colonel.

Served on the staffs of Gen. Myers and Gen. Allen.

Mustered out in 1865.

1857 FREDERICK COCHRANE.

2nd Lieut. 50th Mass. Vols., Sept. 19, 1862.

Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 24, 1863.

Captain 59th Mass. Vols., April 23, 1864.

Transferred to 57th Mass. Vols., May 26, 1865.

Mustered out with Regiment, July 30, 1865.

1857 WM. ALEX. COLEMAN, A.B.

Age 32. Captain 126th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 8, 1862.

Surrendered at Harpers Ferry, Va., Sept. 15, 1862.

Paroled, Sept. 16, 1862.

Discharged for disability, March 21, 1864.

1857 JOHN Q. A. CROUNSE.

Private 11th N. Y. Independent Battery, July 31, 1862.

Died of typhoid fever at Alexandria, Va., Nov. 13, 1864.

1857 JAMES FIDELYOU GILLETTE, A.M.

Private 71st N. Y. Vols., April 20, 1861, to Sept. 10, 1861.

1st Lieut. and Adjutant 3d Md. Vols., May 7, 1862 to Oct. 2, 1862.

Captain and Commissary Vols., Sept. 10, 1862.

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**1857**

Brevet Major, March 13, 1865, and Brevet Lieut. Colonel Vols., Nov. 30, 1865, for faithful service in the Subsistence Department.

Mustered out, Dec. 27, 1866.

After the War he served as Captain 15th U. S. Infantry from March 7, 1867, to March 11, 1869.

Brevet Major U. S. A., March 7, 1867, for gallant and meritorious services.

1857 ADDISON AUGUSTUS HOSMER, A.B.

1st Lieut. 28th Mass. Vols. and Regiment Qm., 1861.

Transferred to 14th Mass. Vols., Jan. 29, 1862.

Captain 1st Mass. Heavy Artillery.

Major and Judge Advocate U. S. Vols., Jan. 23, 1864.

1857 WILLIAM KENNETH LOGIE, A.B.

Age 25. Captain 141st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 14, 1862.

Lieut. Colonel 141st N. Y. Vols., April 7, 1863.

Colonel 141st N. Y. Vols., July 1, 1863.

Killed in action at Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864.

1857 HENRY R. LOVELL, ΦBK, A.M.

Served in Michigan Vols.

1857 DANIEL STEWART MANN.

2nd Lieut. 61st N. Y. Vols.

Served on Gen. Ullman's Staff.

1857 SAMUEL SERGEANT NEWBURY, ΦBK, A.B.

1st Lieut. 12th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.

Captain 12th U. S. Infantry, July 21, 1862.

Killed in battle on Weldon R. R., Va., Aug. 19, 1864.

Brevet Major U. S. Army for gallantry, Aug. 18, 1864.

1857 WM. NOETLING, JR., A.M., C.E.

1st Lieut. 18th Pa. Vols., Sept. 1, 1863.

Mustered out, Sept. 26, 1863.

1857 JEROME BONAPARTE PARMENTER, A.M.

Age 25. 1st Lieut. 169th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 2, 1862.

Captain 169th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 31, 1862.

Discharged for disability, Dec. 2, 1863.



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1857

- 1857 ROBERT CHARLES PERRY, A.B.  
Age 27. Sergeant 75th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 2, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 111th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 20, 1862.  
Captain 111th N. Y. Vols., May 1, 1863.  
Wounded in action, May 18, 1864.  
Discharged for disability, Oct. 19, 1864.  
Captain 7th Veteran Reserve Corps, Nov. 30, 1864.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Discharged, July 20, 1866.  
1st Lieut. 42nd U. S. Infantry, Jan. 22, 1867.  
Retired, Dec. 31, 1870, as Lieut. Colonel U. S. A.
- 1857 GEORGE ALLEN POMEROY, M.D.  
Private 11th Maine Vols., Sept. 30, 1861.  
Discharged for disability, Aug. 26, 1862.
- 1857 GILBERT EDWIN PRATT, A.B.  
Captain 8th Mich. Vols.  
Lieut. Colonel 23d Mich. Vols., Sept. 10, 1862.  
Killed, April 6, 1863.
- 1857 HENRY REED RATHBONE, A.M.  
Captain 12th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Major and A. Adjutant General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Resigned from Volunteer service, July 8, 1867.  
Brevet Major U. S. A., Aug. 1, 1864.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel and Brevet Colonel U. S. A. for gallant and meritorious services, March 13, 1865.  
He was in the theatre box with President Lincoln at Ford's Theatre when Lincoln was shot.
- 1857 JAMES JACOB SEIBERT, A.B.  
Lieut. Colonel 6th Pa. Vols.  
Lieut. Colonel 7th Pa. Cavalry.  
Discharged, Jan. 13, 1865.
- 1857 ALEXANDER McALLISTER THORBURN, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 28. Chaplain 91st N. Y. Vols., Sept. 9, 1864.  
Discharged, June 30, 1865.
- 1857 HORACE J. S. TUPPER, A.B..  
In Georgia Regiment C. S. A., 1861.  
Killed in 1862.

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1857

- 1857 GERRITT W. VAN VOAST, A.B., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., 1862-5.
- 1857 JAMES WILLIS WESTLAKE, A.M.  
Sergeant Major 23d Pa. Vols., an emergency Regiment.  
Mustered out in 1863 and received appointment in the  
Quartermaster General's office in Washington, serving there  
until the close of the War.
- 1857 LEWIS JAMES WHEELER.  
Private Illinois Vols.
- 1857 JOHN WILKES WILKESON, A.B.  
Age 25. 1st Lieut. 100th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 23, 1861.  
Killed at Fair Oaks, Va., May 31, 1862.  
Brevet Captain N. Y. Vols. in memoriam, Oct. 8, 1866.  
The Bidwell-Wilkeson Post of G. A. R. in Buffalo, N. Y.,  
is named in his honor.
- 1857 FRANC BYRON WILKIE, A.B.  
Private 1st Iowa Vols., 1861, and war correspondent of  
Dubuque Herald.  
Correspondent with Generals Lyon, Fremont and with  
Grant from Fort Henry to Vicksburg.  
In Sept., 1861, surrendered to Gen. Price, C. S. A., in  
order to witness the siege of Lexington, Mo., where Colonel  
Mulligan was surrounded by Price.  
Became chief correspondent of *New York Times* with the  
Western Armies.  
Published "Pen and Powder, War Sketches."
- 1857 WENDELL DORN WILTSIE.  
Captain 20th Mich. Vols.  
Killed at Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 27, 1863.
- 1857 WALES WALLACE WOOD, ΦBK, A.B.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 95th Illinois Vols., Sept. 4, 1862.  
A. A. G. 6th Division 17th Army Corps, Army of the  
Tenn.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 17, 1865.  
Author of History of 95th Regt., Illinois Infantry Vols.

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**1857 — 1858**

- 1857 WM. J. WRIGHT, ΦBK, D.D., LL.D.  
Chaplain 76th Pa. Vols.  
Resigned, Sept. 7, 1864.
- 1858 WILLIAM H. BIGELOW.  
Age 26. Private 5th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Dec. 5, 1861.  
Sergeant 5th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, June 1, 1862.  
Re-enlisted as veteran, Jan. 4, 1864.  
1st Sergeant, March 15, 1864.  
Taken prisoner in 1864.  
1st Lieut., March 30, 1865.  
Mustered out with Company, July 19, 1865.
- 1858 THOMAS B. BROOKS, C.E.  
Age 23. 1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Volunteer Engineers, Sept. 10, 1861.  
Captain, May 1, 1862.  
Major and A. D. C. U. S. Vols. on Gen. Q. A. Gilmore's Staff, Aug. 17, 1863.  
Wounded in action at Drury's Bluffs, Va., May 16, 1864.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols. for distinguished services at the siege of Ft. Pulaski, Ga.  
As a result of his wound he resigned Oct. 6, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols. for distinguished services, March, 1865, and he received the Sumter medal.  
He had charge of the siege of Fort Wagner, S. C., July 19 to Sept. 7, 1863.  
P. S. Michie, Colonel U. S. Engineers, testified to his skill, valor and heroic conduct in a paper read before the Loyal Legion.
- 1858 JOHN PROCTOR COWLES.  
Age 25. Major 156th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 23, 1862.  
Mustered out, Jan. 16, 1863.
- 1858 WILLIAM CAMPBELL CRAFTS.  
Age 24. Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 5, 1861, transferred to private 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 19, 1861.  
2d Lieut. 8th N. Y. Cavalry, June 11, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 23, 1862.  
Died of disease at Weaverville, Va., Aug. 29, 1863.

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1858

- 1858 OSCAR H. CURTIS, A.B.  
Age 30. Captain 114th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 3, 1862.  
Major 114th N. Y. Vols., June 26, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 8, 1865.
- 1858 JOHN WILLIAM DAVIES, A.B.  
1st Lieut. 11th N. Y. Vols., April 29, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 2, 1862.
- 1858 CHARLES TEMPLE DIX.  
1st Lieut. 14th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Major and A. D. C. U. S. Vols., June 20, 1862, on Staff  
of his father, Gen. John A. Dix.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols. for faithful services dur-  
ing the War from March 13, 1865.  
Resigned, March 15, 1865.
- 1858 HENRY DUANE, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 59th N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
Resigned, July 9, 1863.  
Became Surgeon U. S. A.  
Died at Fort Tulerosa, N. M., in 1874.
- 1858 JACOB HENRY ENDERS, A.B.  
Chaplain 153d N. Y. Vols., Oct. 18, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Oct. 2, 1865.
- 1858 ISRAEL OTIS FOOTE, A.B.  
Corporal 61st N. Y. Vols., Sept. 2, 1861.  
Sergeant 61st N. Y. Vols., Feb. 15, 1862.  
Wounded, Dec. 13, 1862, at Fredericksburg, Va.  
Supposed to have been taken prisoner. No further record  
at Albany. Died in 1864.
- 1858 HIRAM JAMES GORDON, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 34. Chaplain 116th N. Y. Vols., March 25, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 8, 1865.
- 1858 LEMUEL TOMLINSON HERITAGE.  
Private 8th Kansas Vols., Sept., 1861.  
1st Lieut. 8th Kansas Vols., Nov., 1861.  
Resigned, March, 1862.

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Captain 11th Kansas Vols., Sept., 1862.  
Seriously wounded in December, 1862, and was discharged  
for disability, Sept., 1863.

- 1858 WILLIAM AUGUSTUS JACKSON, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 23. Captain 124th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.  
Killed in action before Petersburg, June 18, 1864.
- 1858 GERARD LATHROP MCKENZIE.  
Age 23. Private 83d N. Y. Vols., May 27, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 96th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 28, 1862.  
Captain, May 30, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel, Dec. 3, 1862.  
Discharged, March 20, 1863.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.
- 1858 JOHN REED LAMBSON, A.B.  
Colonel C. S. A.
- 1858 GEORGE RANDOLPH McREE.  
Private Savannah Guards C. S. A., 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 29th Georgia Regt.  
Captain Corps of Engineers, 1863.  
Served under Gen. Joe Johnston and on the Staff of Gen.  
W. L. Hardee.
- 1858 LEBBEUS HORATIO MITCHELL, C.E.  
1st Lieut. 23d Mass. Vols.  
Resigned, March 24, 1864.
- 1858 SHERMAN PAGE, A.M.  
1st Lieut 6th Iowa Cavalry.  
Resigned, May 17, 1865.
- 1858 ROBERT T. PAINE, A.M., M.D.  
Age 27. Asst. Surgeon 28th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 14, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 2, 1863.  
Major and Surgeon 2d N. Y. Mounted Rifles, Aug. 1,  
1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 10, 1865.
- 1858 ELHANAN VAN LEW PETERSON, A.B.  
Captain 8th Indiana Cavalry, May 3, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 20, 1865.

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- 1858 ABRAM DETWEILER PRICE.  
Major 2d Pa. Cavalry, March 22, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 7, 1865.
- 1858 FREDERICK SCOVILLE, A.B.  
Age 25. 2d Lieut. and Battalion Adjutant 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 23, 1861.  
1st Lieut., Sept. 26, 1862.  
Captain, June 25, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, December 8, 1864.
- 1858 CHARLES PIERRE SHAW, A.B.  
Was in the Civil War in a N. Y. Regiment.  
Took part in Gen. Banks' expedition.
- 1858 ALEXANDER SIMPLOT, A.B.  
Private Iowa Vols., 1861.  
He made an army sketch which attracted the attention of Harper Bros. who made him war correspondent of *Harper's Weekly*.  
His picture of the Battle of Memphis was bought recently by the Commercial Club of Memphis.
- 1858 ANDREW HEERMANCE SMITH, A.M., M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 43d N. Y. Vols., Dec. 14, 1861.  
Major and Surgeon 94th N. Y. Vols., May 11, 1862.  
1st Lieut. and Asst. Surgeon U. S. Army, July 17, 1862.  
Brevet Captain and Brevet Major U. S. A. from March 13, 1865.
- 1858 JOSIAH RINEHART SYPHER, A.M.  
War correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune*.  
Author of the "History of the Pennsylvania Reserve Corps."
- 1858 CHARLES EDWIN THOMPSON.  
Age 23. Private 27th N. Y. Vols., July 4, 1861.  
Sergeant Major 27th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 1, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 27th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 30, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 31, 1863.
- 1858 WILLIAM THOMPSON, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 22. 1st Lieut. and Adjutant 150th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 29, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, Aug. 6, 1863.

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- 1858 JAMES RUFUS TRYON, A.M., M.D., PH.D., LL.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Navy, Sept. 22, 1863.  
With the West Gulf Squadron, 1863 to 1865.  
After the battle of Mobile had charge of Naval Hospital at Pensacola, Fla., and was in charge of Naval Hospital, Boston, 1865-6.  
He became Surgeon General U. S. Navy with the rank of Commodore, May 10, 1893.  
Retired as Rear Admiral U. S. N., Sept. 24, 1899, and was then for six years in charge of the Hospital at Sailors Snug Harbor, Staten Island.
- 1858 THEODORE FRELINGHUYSEN VAILL.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 2d Conn. Heavy Artillery, March 5, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 18, 1865.
- 1858 ANDREW APOLLOS WHEELER.  
Age 26. Private 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Aug. 6, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Sept. 11, 1862.  
Discharged, Aug. 28, 1863.
- 1858 ALONZO CLAUDIUS WHITRIDGE, A.B., M.D.  
Surgeon Gist Guards Artillery, Charleston, C. S. A.  
Served three years.
- 1858 ALFRED AUGUSTUS WILLIAMS, M.D.  
Age 26. Asst. Surgeon 5th N. Y. Artillery, Sept. 25, 1861.  
Discharged to become Major and Surgeon 2d U. S. Sharpshooters, April 10, 1862.  
Resigned, Aug. 11, 1863.  
Brevet Colonel N. Y. Vols.  
Lieut. Colonel 1st Battalion Nevada Cavalry, 1863.  
Resigned, Dec. 21, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.
- 1858 HENRY G. WISNER.  
Captain 107th Illinois Vols., 1862.  
Resigned, April 13, 1864.

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- 1859 EDWARD OTIS BARTLETT,  $\Phi$ BK, D.D.  
Age 30. Chaplain 150th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 20, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 17, 1865.  
Was on Sherman's March to the Sea.
- 1859 ADONIRAM JUDSON BLAKELY, A.B.  
Private 96th N. Y. Vols., 1861,  
Elected Captain but detained at home by death of father.  
1st Lieut. 14th Vermont Vols., Aug. 27, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 30, 1863.  
His regiment was in Gen. Stannard's brigade and helped  
repulse Pickett's charge at Gettysburg.
- 1859 JOHN PAWLING BUCKLEY, A.M.  
Age 24. 1st Lieut. 24th N. Y. Vols., May 4, 1861.  
Captain 24th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 19, 1861.  
Killed in action at Bull Run, Va., Aug. 30, 1862.  
His Company entered the battle with 45 men, but nine of  
whom escaped wounds or death.
- 1859 JOHN HUBBELL CARTER, A.B.  
Though from Connecticut, being a teacher in Lexington, Ky.,  
when war broke out, he sided with the South.  
Private 2d Kentucky Cavalry C. S. A., July 14, 1862.  
Wounded, Nov. 5, 1862, at Nashville, Tenn., captured,  
recovered and escaped, rejoining his company Dec. 21st.  
Captured when with Gen. Morgan in the Ohio raid. At  
Camp Douglass he found his classmate, David Heagle, serv-  
ing as Chaplain of the Regiment guarding the camp.  
Escaped in March, 1864. Rejoined his Regiment in April.  
Became Captain of his Company. Surrendered at Wood-  
stock, Va., May, 1865.
- 1859 LUCIAN E. CARTER, A.B.  
Was teaching at Yazoo City, Miss., when the war began.  
Left for the North when State seceded and began to study  
law in Jeffersonville, N. Y.  
Age 26. Private 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Aug. 15,  
1862.  
1st Lieut. 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Sept. 10, 1862.  
Captain 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, April 6, 1864.  
Provost Marshal Petersburg, April 4, 1865.  
Mustered out, July 8, 1865.



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- 1859 **WILLIAM JAMES CLARKE.**  
Private 7th Georgia Cavalry C. S. A., 1862-3.  
2d Lieut. and 1st Lieut., 1863.  
Captured, Laura C. H., Va., 1863.  
Prisoner at Fort Delaware, 1863-5.
- 1859 **FRANCIS COLLINS.**  
1st Sergeant 104th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 18, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 136th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 25, 1862.  
Captain 136th N. Y. Vols., March 13, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 13, 1865.
- 1859 **JOHN DARWIN S. COOK, ΦBK, A.B.**  
Age 26. 1st Lieut. 80th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 23, 1861.  
Captain 80th N. Y. Vols., March 4, 1863.  
Wounded at Gettysburg, July 3, 1863.  
Discharged, Dec. 17, 1864.
- 1859 **GEORGE WASHINGTON DE COSTA.**  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 5th Kansas Cavalry.  
Discharged, Sept. 8, 1863.  
Lieut. Colonel 54th U. S. Colored Infantry, Sept., 1863.  
Discharged, Dec. 9, 1863.
- 1859 **NATHANIEL MARSH EDWARDS, C.E.**  
Private 5th Mass. Vols., April 18, 1861.  
Served three months including the First Bull Run battle.  
Age 24. Private 1st N. Y. Volunteer Engineers, Oct., 1861.  
2d Lieut. 1st N. Y. Volunteer Engineers, Oct. 10, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Volunteer Engineers, Feb. 24, 1864.  
Captain 1st N. Y. Volunteer Engineers, Jan. 12, 1865.  
He constructed the famous Swamp Angel Battery at the siege of Charleston, S. C. Was Engineer Officer at different times on the Staffs of Generals Q. A. Gilmore, Benj. F. Butler, Hunter and John P. Hatch.  
Was not off duty a day in four years.  
Mustered out with his Regiment, July 19, 1865.
- 1859 **THEOPHILUS EDWARDS.**  
Lieut. North Carolina Regiment C. S. A., 1861.  
Captain in 1861 and served through the war in command of his Company.

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- 1859 CHARLES SEVERANCE FARNHAM, A.B.  
Age 23. 2d Lieut. 100th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 8, 1862.  
Died of disease at Yorktown, Va., May 12, 1862.
- 1859 WILLIAM T. FROHOCH, A.M.  
Private and 1st Sergeant Dist. of Columbia Vols., April 26, 1861, served three months.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 45th Illinois Vols., Oct. 11, 1861.  
Captain, 1863.  
Wounded at Shiloh and Vicksburg.  
Promoted Jan. 12, 1864, to Colonel 66th U. S. Colored Troops.  
Resigned, Sept. 20, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel and Brevet Brig. General from March 13, 1865.  
Major 7th Veteran Volunteer Infantry, March 10, 1865.  
Discharged, April 10, 1866.  
1st Lieut. 15th U. S. Infantry, Dec. 5, 1866.
- 1859 ALEXANDER GILCHRIST, JR., ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 26. 1st Lieut. 148th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 4, 1862.  
Captain 148th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 6, 1863.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious services, March, 1865.  
Served on Staffs of Generals Martindale, Ames and Ord, and his last service was as Provost Marshal of the Department of Fort Monroe.  
Mustered out, June 30, 1865.
- 1859 PHILIP KING GLEED, A.B.  
Captain 4th Vt. Militia for border defence only.
- 1859 GEORGE CLINTON HARRINGTON.  
Private 76th Illinois Vols., Aug., 1862.  
Captain 76th Illinois Vols., 1862-3.  
Major 76th Illinois Vols., 1863.  
Discharged for disability, May 25, 1864.
- 1859 DAVID HEAGLE, ΦBK, PH.D., D.D., LL.D.  
Chaplain 1st Michigan Sharpshooters, July 25, 1863.  
Mustered out, July 28, 1865.

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- 1859** **FREDERICK MONROE H. KENDRICK.**  
2d Lieut. 31st Mass. Vols., Dec. 24, 1861.  
Captain 1st Louisiana Vols. (white), Aug. 8, 1862.  
Wounded at Port Hudson, June 14, 1863.  
Mustered out, July 28, 1863.  
Captain 19th Veteran Reserve Corps, March 25, 1864.  
Mustered out, Oct. 31, 1867.  
2d Lieut. 7th U. S. Infantry, Dec., 1867.
- 1859** **WILLIAM T. MEREDITH, A.B.**  
Asst. Paymaster U. S. Navy, Aug. 24, 1861.  
Paymaster U. S. Navy, May 20, 1862,  
Serving on Admiral Farragut's flagship Hartford.  
Resigned, June 13, 1866.  
Detailed as Secretary to Admiral Farragut from June, 1865,  
to June, 1866.
- 1859** **AUGUST WHITE NICOLL, A.B.**  
Private 7th N. Y. Nat. Guard, 1862, serving three months  
in Baltimore, Md., and again in 1863 for forty days in  
Baltimore and Frederick City, Md.
- 1859** **JAMES MORSE OLIVER, M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon 14th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Sept. 10, 1863.  
Died at Fort Richmond, N. Y., Harbor, Nov. 10, 1863.
- 1859** **PASCAL HARRISON OWEN, A.B., M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon C. S. A. in Military Hospital at Montgomery,  
Ala.
- 1859** **HUBERT FRANCIS PEEBLES.**  
Captain 32d Iowa Vols., October, 1862.  
Wounded in action and died April 25, 1864.
- 1859** **JAMES REAGLES, M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon 62d N. Y. Vols., April 19, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 30, 1865.  
After the war became Surgeon U. S. Army.
- 1859** **JOHN D. REYNOLDS, A.M., M.D.**  
Age 24. Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 27, 1861.  
2d Lieut. 25th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 7, 1861.  
Resigned, Jan. 24, 1862.

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- 1859 JOHN ROBERTS, A.M.  
Enlisted as private, promoted to 1st Lieut., April, 1861, and to Captain 3d N. J. Vols., May, 1861. Wounded twice. Resigned, August 5, 1863.
- 1859 THOMAS ORVILLE SEAVER, A.B.  
Captain 3d Vermont Vols., June 16, 1861.  
Major 3d Vermont Vols., Aug. 13, 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 3d Vermont Vols., Sept. 6, 1862.  
Colonel 3d Vermont Vols., Jan. 13, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July, 1864.
- 1859 SAMUEL SWAYZE SEWARD.  
Age 24. 2d Lieut. 3d N. Y. Artillery, Nov. 27, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 3d N. Y. Artillery, Jan. 23, 1862.  
Resigned to accept Captain and A. A. D. C. U. S. Vols., June 16, 1862, on the Staff of Gen. E. O. C. Ord.  
Major and A. D. C. U. S. Vols., Aug. 28, 1863, continuing through the War on Gen. Ord's Staff.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel Vols., July 30, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., April 9, 1865, for gallant and meritorious services.  
Mustered out, Oct. 31, 1865.
- 1859 EDWARD WELLS SMITH.  
Age 26. 1st Lieut. 13th N. Y. Artillery, March 10, 1864.  
1st Lieut. 6th N. Y. Artillery, July 18, 1865.  
Mustered out with Battery, Aug. 24, 1865.
- 1859 NORMAN LESLIE SNOW, A.M., M.D.  
Age 23. Asst. Surgeon 153d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 25, 1862.  
Surgeon 153d N. Y. Vols., March 10, 1864.  
He was with Sheridan in the Valley, with Banks at Red River and was Health Officer of Savannah after its capture.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Oct. 2, 1865.
- 1859 SIMEON MONTGOMERY THORP, A.B.  
He lived in Lawrence, Kansas, in 1863.  
On account of his Union sentiments he was taken from his home and killed by members of Quantrell's guerrillas, who raided the town.

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- 1859** WILLIAM BADGER TIBBITS, A.M.  
Age 24. Captain 2d N. Y. Vols., May 14, 1861.  
Major 2d N. Y. Vols., Oct. 18, 1862.  
Wounded in action at Chancellorsville, Va., May, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 26, 1863.  
Colonel 21st N. Y. Cavalry, June 17, 1863.  
Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Oct. 7, 1865.  
Brevet Major General U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious services during the War, March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, January 15, 1866.
- 1859** JOHN EDABDUEL WERTH, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 27. Chaplain 75th N. Y. Vols., June 29, 1863.  
Mustered out, Dec. 6, 1864.  
Chaplain 13th Missouri Veteran Cavalry, 1865-6.
- 1860** THOMAS ARCHER, C.E.  
Age 27. Private 1st N. Y. Engineers, Aug. 9, 1862.  
Artificer 1st N. Y. Engineers, May 1, 1863.  
2d Lieut. 1st N. Y. Engineers, April 1, 1864.  
1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Engineers, Feb. 1, 1865.  
Captain 1st N. Y. Engineers, April 21, 1865.  
Brevet 1st Lieut. U. S. Vols. for gallant and meritorious services from March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Company, June 30, 1865.
- 1860** JAMES ARCHIBALD, JR., C.E.  
Captain 132d Pa. Vols., Aug., 1862.  
Discharged, Jan. 7, 1863.
- 1860** HENRY BILLINGS.  
Captain 20th Conn. Vols., Jan. 22, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 13, 1865.
- 1860** RICHARD WIGGIN BLACK, A.M.  
Served three years in Army of Potomac in U. S. A.
- 1860** GEORGE NEWMAN BLISS, A.B.  
Private 1st R. I. Cavalry, Sept. 15, 1861.  
Captain 1st R. I. Cavalry, March 15, 1865.  
Captured at Waynesborough, Va., Sept. 28, 1864.  
Congressional Medal of Honor voted him for Valor in action on that date.  
Mustered out, March 15, 1865.

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- 1860 ABRAHAM BOCKEE, JR.  
Captain 78th U. S. Colored Infantry, Oct. 31, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Jan. 6, 1866.
- 1860 DOUGLASS CAMPBELL, A.M., LL.B.  
Age 22. Captain 121st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, April 27, 1863.  
Brevet Major N. Y. Vols., Sept. 6, 1866.
- 1860 ROBERT CARTER.  
Corporal 13th N. Y. Vols., May 28, 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept. 12, 1862.
- 1860 HENRY JAMES CULLEN, JR., A.B.  
Private 23d N. Y. Vols., June 18, 1863.  
Mustered out, July 22, 1863.
- 1860 IRA ROZEL CURTIS, A.M.  
Private 15th Illinois Vols., May 24, 1861.  
Sergeant 15th Illinois Vols., July 10, 1861.  
Discharged for disability, Sept. 2, 1862.
- 1860 THOMAS M. FAY, A.B.  
Age 28. Major 151st N. Y. Vols., Oct. 22, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel 151st N. Y. Vols., Feb. 27, 1864.  
Discharged, Nov. 5, 1864.
- 1860 SAMUEL ALMIRON FITCH, ΦBK, A.B.  
Private 89th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 18, 1861.  
Re-enlisted, Jan. 14, 1864.  
Killed before Petersburg, Aug. 13, 1864.
- 1860 ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL FOWLER, A.B., M.D.  
Acting Asst. Surgeon U. S. N., June 18, 1863.  
Honorably discharged, Oct. 27, 1866.
- 1860 WILLIAM F. FOX.  
Age 22. Captain 107th N. Y. Vols., July 29, 1862.  
wounded in action at Antietam, Sept. 17, 1862.  
Major 107th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 4, 1863.  
Wounded at Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863.  
Lieut. Colonel, Oct. 15, 1863.  
Wounded at Resaca, Ga., May 15, 1864.

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Discharged for disability, July 8, 1864.

He wrote "300 Fighting Regiments of the Union Army" and "Regimental Losses in the Civil War"; also the "History of the 12th and 20th Army Corps."

1860 WILLIAM GREEN, A.B.

Age 26. 2d Lieut. 2d N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Feb. 27, 1864.

Discharged for disability, Dec. 23, 1864.

1860 FRANK H. HAMILTON, JR.

Asst. Surgeon 31st N. Y. Vols., June, 1861.

Resigned, Sept., 1861.

1860 HOWARD MELVILLE HANNA, LL.D.

Asst. Paymaster U. S. Navy, June 11, 1862.

Served in the West Gulf Squadron under Admiral Farragut at the Kittery Navy Yard and on the U. S. S. Agawam, when it was Admiral Lee's flagship, being paymaster of the fleet.

Resigned, Feb. 13, 1865.

1860 JOHN SCOGGIN HENRY, ΦBK, A.B.

Captain C. S. A., killed in 1861.

1860 HOSMER P. HOLLAND.

1st Lieut. 74th Illinois Vols., Sept., 1862.

Resigned, Nov. 17, 1864.

1860 STEPHEN SMITH HORTON.

Age 21. 2d Lieut. 77th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 13, 1861.

Discharged, May 11, 1862.

Captain, July 25, 1862.

Wounded at Antietam, Sept. 17, 1862.

Wounded at Fredericksburg, May 3, 1863.

Discharged, May 28, 1863.

1860 PETER E. HOUCK.

Age 23. 1st Lieut. 153d N. Y. Vols., Sept. 2, 1862.

Discharged for disability, March 20, 1863.

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- 1860 JOHN BENNETT HUTCHINSON, ΦBK, A.B.  
Captain 2d Kentucky Cavalry C. S. A., 1861.  
Lieut. Colonel 2d Kentucky Cavalry C. S. A., Sept. 8, 1862.  
He was a noted Confederate raider, his Regiment was in Gen. Morgan's command.  
He was killed in battle in 1863.
- 1860 GEORGE TRENCHARD INGHAM, A.M.  
1st Lieut. 4th N. J. Vols., April 25, 1861, to May 14, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 11th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Resigned, Aug. 9, 1864.  
Brevet Captain and Brevet Major U. S. A., March 13, 1865.
- 1860 RUSSELL MORGAN JONES, JR., A.B.  
Age 25. Private 10th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Aug. 4, 1862.  
2d Lieut., Sept. 11, 1862.  
1st Lieut., Aug. 26, 1863.  
Mustered out with Company, June 23, 1865.
- 1860 NAPOLEON B. KNIGHT, A.B.  
Lieut. Colonel 1st Battalion Delaware Cavalry, Jan., 1863.  
Discharged, Dec. 2, 1864.
- 1860 JOHANNES LEFEVRE, A.B., C.E.  
Age 26. 2d Lieut. 156th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 20, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 156th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 31, 1863.  
Captain 156th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 19, 1863.  
Wounded at Cedar Creek, Va., Oct. 19, 1864.  
Died from his wounds, Nov. 9, 1864.
- 1860 SPENCER FRANCIS LINCOLN, A.B.  
Age 23. 2d Lieut. 126th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Surrendered at Harper's Ferry, Sept. 16, 1862, and paroled.  
1st Lieut., Nov. 27, 1862.  
Adjutant, Dec. 7, 1863.  
Wounded before Petersburg, Va., June 16, 1864.  
Died of wounds, July 18, 1864.



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- 1860 **GEORGE NASH LITTLE.**  
Age 23. Sergeant, 127th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 8, 1862.  
Sergeant Major 127th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 1, 1863.  
2d Lieut. 127th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 15, 1863.  
1st Lieut. 127th N. Y. Vols., May 19, 1864.  
Mustered out with Company, June 30, 1865.
- 1860 **BENJAMIN HOUSTON MANN, M.D.**  
Age 19. Private 24th Mass. Vols., Sept. 4, 1861.  
Appointed Hospital Steward, Aug. 13, 1862.  
Discharged at expiration of term, Sept. 4, 1864.  
Re-entered College in the Class of 1864.
- 1860 **HAMILTON ALLEN MATTISON, A.B.**  
Captain 12th New Jersey Vols., Sept., 1862.  
Discharged, June 4, 1865.  
He made a remarkable escape from Columbia, S. C., prison.  
After weeks of wonderful experiences, reached Savannah  
just after its capture by Gen. Sherman.
- 1860 **WARNER MILLER, A.B., LL.D.**  
Sergeant Major 5th N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 7, 1861.  
Discharged for disability, June 17, 1862.
- 1860 **JOHN LOVEYS PAINE.**  
Age 20. Private 50th N. Y. Engineers, Aug. 26, 1862.  
Sergeant 50th N. Y. Engineers, July 21, 1864.  
2d Lieut. 50th N. Y. Engineers, Oct. 19, 1864.  
1st Lieut. 50th N. Y. Engineers, Feb. 1, 1865.  
Mustered out with Company, June 13, 1865.
- 1860 **JAMES FRANKLIN PATTERSON, A.B., M.D.**  
Age 22. Asst. Surgeon 6th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 24, 1862.  
Mustered out, June 25, 1863.  
Asst. Surgeon 90th N. Y. Vols., April 4, 1865.  
Mustered out, Feb. 9, 1866.
- 1860 **EDGAR WOODARD PIERCE, A.B.**  
Captain A. Q. M. U. S. Vols.
- 1860 **WM. H. PITT, A.B., PH.D., M.D.**  
Age 25. 2d Lieut. 2d N. Y. Vols., May 14, 1861.  
Resigned, July 26, 1861.

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### 1860

- 1860 CHARLES ISRAEL PLEASANTS, A.B.  
Sergeant 11th Pa. Vols., April 23, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 14th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Killed in battle of Wilderness, May 5, 1864.  
Brevet Captain U. S. A., May 5, 1864, for gallant services in Wilderness battle.
- 1860 PETER VAN S. PRUYN, ΦBK, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon N. Y. Vols.
- 1860 THOMAS WHITESIDE RAE, C.E.  
3d Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, July 30, 1861.  
2d Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, April 21, 1863.  
1st Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, Oct. 11, 1866.  
Was on the Minnesota in the Monitor-Merrimac fight.  
Professor at Naval Academy, Annapolis.  
In 1868 on Deep Sea Cable service, which became his great work and specialty.  
Resigned, October 1, 1877.
- 1860 WILLIE MANGUM REXFORD, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 20. Sergeant 44th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 30, 1861.  
Captain 44th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 13, 1862.  
Major 131st N. Y. Vols., Dec. 31, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel 131st N. Y. Vols., Jan. 16, 1863.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols. for conspicuous gallantry at Winchester, Va., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 26, 1865.
- 1860 SAMUEL TYLER READ, A.M.  
Captain 3d Mass. Cavalry, 1861.  
Major 3d Mass. Cavalry, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Dec. 5, 1864.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel and Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., 1865.
- 1860 AMERICUS V. RICE, A.B.  
Captain 21st Ohio Vols., April 27, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 12, 1861.  
Captain 57th Ohio Vols., 1861.

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Lieut. Colonel 57th Ohio Vols., 1863.  
Brigadier General U. S. Vols., May 31, 1865.  
Wounded at Shiloh, Vicksburg and Kenesaw Mountain.

- 1860 JAMES CLARENCE ROGERS,  $\Phi$ BK, A.B.  
Age 22. Captain 43d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 24, 1861.  
Discharged, Sept. 25, 1862, for promotion to Major 123d  
N. Y. Vols., Aug. 18, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel 123d N. Y. Vols., May 13, 1863.  
Colonel 123d N. Y. Vols., Feb. 20, 1865.  
Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Commanded 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 20th Army Corps.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 8, 1865.
- 1860 BENJAMIN F. SCEVA, A.M.  
Age 25. Private 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, Aug. 31,  
1861.  
1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, Dec. 12, 1861.  
Captain 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, June 16, 1863.  
Major 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, Oct. 20, 1864.  
Lieut. Colonel 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, March 17, 1865.  
Wounded, March 31, 1865.  
Lieut. Colonel 1st N. Y. Provisional Cavalry, June 24,  
1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 19, 1865.
- 1860 ELIPHALET NOTT SCHERMERHORN.  
Age 23. 1st Sergeant 18th N. Y. Vols., May 17, 1861.  
Sergeant Major 18th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 11, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 18th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 27, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 18th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 1, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 28, 1863.  
Captain and A. A. G., 1863.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., 1865.
- 1860 JOSHUA ROBERT SENEY, A.B.  
Private Ohio Vols.  
Discharged for disability after short service.
- 1860 HENRY LOUIS SMITH, A.B.  
Age 31. Captain 5th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Sept. 11,  
1862.  
Discharged, May 28, 1863.

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- 1860 CHARLES E. SPRAGUE, ΦBK, A.B., Ph.D.  
Private 44th N. Y. Vols., 1862.  
Sergeant 44th N. Y. Vols., 1863.  
Wounded at Gettysburg.  
Discharged, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel N. Y. Vols., Dec. 30, 1868, for gallant services at Gettysburg.
- 1860 WM. JOHN STEPHENS, A.B.  
Age 21. Quartermaster Sergeant 1st Mich. Vols., April 24, 1861.  
Commissary Sergeant of Recruits at Detroit, July 1, 1861  
Mustered out, Aug. 7, 1861.
- 1860 LOUIS GEORGE STRONG, A.B.  
Captain 5th Wisconsin Vols., July, 1861.  
Killed in action at Maryes Heights, Va., May 3, 1863.
- 1860 LYSANDER W. TULLEYS, A.M.  
Private and 1st Sergeant 2nd Ohio Vols., 1861.  
Captain 44th Ohio Vols., 1862.  
The 44th Vols. became the 8th Cavalry.  
Lieut. Colonel 8th Ohio Cavalry.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Jan. 30, 1864.
- 1860 EDGAR BEACH VAN WINKLE, A.M., C.E.  
Age 20. Private 7th National Guard S. N. Y., June 3, 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept. 5, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 103d N. Y. Vols., Dec. 27, 1862.  
Detailed to the Engineer Corps with Gen. Q. A. Gilmour in South Carolina.  
Mustered out, March 17, 1865.  
Captain 103d U. S. Colored Infantry, Feb. 2, 1865.  
Resigned, July 11, 1865.  
Served on Gen. Egbert L. Viele's Staff, Military Governor at Norfolk, Va., and as aide and chief of Gen. John P. Hatch's Staff, Commander of the Department of the South.
- 1860 ALBERT GARDNER WASHBURN, A.B.  
Age 23. Private 134th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 12, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 134th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 12, 1862.

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### **1860 — 1861**

Captain 134th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 24, 1862.  
Died of fever in camp near Falmouth, Va., Jan. 26, 1863,  
and is buried in Vale Cemetery.

- 1860 JOHN COLLINS WELCH, A.B.  
Age 22. Private 85th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 11, 1861.  
Sergeant 85th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 25, 1861.  
Commissary Sergeant 85th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 28, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 85th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 25, 1862.  
Captured in action and escaped.  
Mustered out, Jan. 19, 1865.
- 1861 JOHN M. BAILEY, A.M.  
Age 24. 1st Lieut. 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 13, 1862.  
Adjutant 177th N. Y. Vols., May 12, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept. 10, 1863.
- 1861 JOHN ANDREW BARNES, A.B.  
Private 60th Indiana Vols., Dec. 2, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 60th Indiana Vols., June 10, 1862.  
Honorably discharged for disability and served in the Com-  
missary Department at Camp Nelson, Ky., the rest of the  
War.
- 1861 SAMUEL BARSTOW, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 20. 1st Lieut. 64th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 5, 1861.  
Captain 64th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 10, 1861.  
Died at Fort Monroe, Va., of fever, April 20, 1862.
- 1861 EDWARD PAYSON BERRY.  
Captain 5th New Jersey Vols.  
Acting Major at Gettysburg, in which battle he was killed,  
July 3, 1863.
- 1861 LUCIUS LEVERETT BRIDGES.  
Captain and Commissary U. S. Vols., June 30, 1864.  
Mustered out, Aug. 5, 1865.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. from Aug. 4, 1865.
- 1861 LATHAM L. BUCKLAND, C.E.  
Age 25. Private 1st N. Y. Engineers, Aug. 14, 1862.  
Artificer 1st N. Y. Engineers, May 1, 1863.  
2nd Lieut. 1st N. Y. Engineers, April 16, 1864.

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**1861**

1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Engineers, Dec. 23, 1864.  
Captain 1st N. Y. Engineers, June 17, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 30, 1865.

1861 JOHN S. COE, A.M.

Captain 111th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 15, 1862.  
Discharged, March 10, 1863.

1861 ARTHUR H. DAVIS, A.B., M.D.

Private 129th Pa. Vols., Aug., 1862.  
Wounded at Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863.  
Discharged with Regiment, May 18, 1863.

1861 EDWARD VALENCOURT DEUEL, M.D.

Asst. Surgeon Missouri Vols.

1861 PORTER FARLEY, A.M., M.D.

Age 22. 2nd Lieut. 140th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 30, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 140th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 1, 1863.  
1st Lieut. R. Q. M. 140th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 28, 1863.  
Captain 140th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 16, 1864.  
Discharged for disability, Aug. 4, 1864.

1861 CHARLES JAMES FOX, A.B.

Age 20. 1st Lieut. 107th N. Y. Vols., July 29, 1862.  
Captain 107th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 4, 1863.  
Major 107th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 5, 1865.

1861 JOHN RICHARD GEORGE.

Major 9th Louisiana Regiment C. S. A.  
Taken prisoned at Woodstock, Va., and sent to Fort Delaware. Served four years.

1861 DANIEL SPOFFORD GIFFEN.

Age 24. Private 142d N. Y. Vols., Sept. 29, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 142d N. Y. Vols., Oct. 4, 1862.  
Captain 142d N. Y. Vols., May 21, 1863.  
Wounded, May 16, 1864, at Fort Darling, Va.  
Discharged for disability from wounds, Sept. 13, 1864

1861 CHARLES W. GILLETT, A.B.

Age 21. 1st Lieut. 86th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 14, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant N. Y. Vols., Nov. 12, 1861.  
Discharged for disability, April 3, 1863.

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### **1861**

- 1861 **WALTER ROBARTS GILLETTE, A.M., M.D.**  
Acting Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols. for one year.
- 1861 **FRANK HASTINGS HAMILTON, JR., A.M., M.D.**  
Age 23. Private 16th N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 16th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 22, 1862.  
Resigned, Sept. 13, 1862.  
Acting Asst. Surgeon U. S. A., 1863, and served until his  
death, Oct. 13, 1869, at San Francisco, Cal.
- 1861 **SOLYMAN G. HAMLIN, A.M.**  
Age 25. 1st Lieut. 134th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 17, 1862.  
Captain 134th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 21, 1863.  
Captured in action and escaped.  
Discharged, Feb. 18, 1865, to become Major 192d N. Y.  
Vols.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 28, 1865.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel, Dec. 29, 1865.
- 1861 **NEWLAND HOLMES, JR.**  
Left college to join C. S. A.  
Colonel C. S. A.  
Missing at close of the War.
- 1861 **JOHN KING HUBBARD.**  
Private 15th Arkansas Regiment C. S. A.  
Killed at Pea Ridge, Jan. 19, 1862.
- 1861 **SYLVANUS B. HUESTED, A. B.**  
1st Lieut. 116th U. S. Colored Infantry, July, 1864.  
Captain 37th U. S. Colored Infantry, Dec. 13, 1864.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, June, 1867.
- 1861 **HENRY MAY KEIM, A.B.**  
Private 11th Pa. Vols., 1861.  
1st Lieut. 53d Pa. Vols., 1863, and was Acting Ordnance  
Officer on the staff of Gen. Sigel.
- 1861 **ROBERT SHEPHERD KIDD, A.B.**  
2nd Lieut. U. S. Marine Corps, Nov. 25, 1861.  
1st Lieut. U. S. Marine Corps, Nov. 26, 1861.  
Served in blockading squadron, Hampton Roads, Va.  
Dismissed, Dec. 29, 1862.

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- 1861 **BYRON WM. LANGDON, A.B.**  
Sergeant Major 108th Indiana Vols., July 12, 1863.  
Nine days State service to repel Morgan's raid.
- 1861 **PETER ANDREW LEFEVRE, ΦBK, A.B.**  
Age 23. 1st Lieut. 156th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Captain 156th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 31, 1863.  
Was Aide on Gen. N. P. Banks's Staff.  
Honorably discharged, Jan. 17, 1864.
- 1861 **JAMES LYON.**  
Age 22. 2nd Lieut. 4th N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 5, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 4th N. Y. Cavalry, May 19, 1862.  
Captain 4th N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 30, 1862.  
Served as Aide to Gen. J. P. Hatch.  
Resigned, March 11, 1863.
- 1861 **HIRAM LEONARD MARVIN, A.B., C.E.**  
Age 26. Private 85th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 28, 1861.  
Sergeant Major N. Y. Vols., April 9, 1862.  
Discharged to become 2nd Lieut. 37th U. S. Colored Troops.  
Captain 37th U. S. Colored Troops.  
Taken prisoner at Newbern, N. C., and exchanged.  
Resigned, June 6, 1865.
- 1861 **ANDREW BARCLAY MITCHELL, A.B.**  
Age 20. Musician 18th N. Y. Vols., May 17, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 18th N. Y. Vols., June 16, 1861.  
Captain 18th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 19, 1861.  
Mustered out with company, May 28, 1863.
- 1861 **DAVID STARRETT MORGAN.**  
Private 1st Mass. Heavy Artillery, July 22, 1862.  
Wounded, May 19, 1864.  
Discharged at expiration of term, July 8, 1864.
- 1861 **DAVID ELKINS PARSONS, M.D.**  
Private 19th Maine Vols., 1862.  
2nd Lieut. 19th Maine Vols.  
1st Lieut. 19th Maine Vols.  
Captain 19th Maine Vols.  
Major 19th Maine Vols., Nov. 16, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 31, 1865.



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- 1861 HENRY PARSONS, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 27. 1st Lieut. 134th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 2, 1862.  
Acting Adjutant 134th N. Y. Vols., Nov. and Dec., 1862.  
Captain 134th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 12, 1863.  
Resigned, June 3, 1863.
- 1861 ALBERT RATHBONE.  
Age 21. 2nd Lieut. 7th N. Y. Vols., June 25, 1862.  
Resigned, Nov. 23, 1862.
- 1861 JEREMIAH B. REMINGTON, A.B.  
Age 23. 1st Lieut. 89th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 5, 1861.  
Captain 89th N. Y. Vols., May 9, 1863.  
Major 89th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 31, 1865.  
Discharged, May 4, 1866.  
Wounded twice before Petersburg.  
Served as Major on Gen. Heckman's Staff.
- 1861 SILAS EDGAR REYNOLDS, A.B.  
Age 23. 2nd Lieut. 7th N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 13, 1861.  
1st Lieut. and Battery Adjutant, Nov. 6, 1861.  
Mustered out with Battery, March 31, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, Sept. 12, 1862.  
Captain 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, April 7, 1864.  
Captain 4th Provisional N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 6, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Nov. 29, 1865.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., 1865.
- 1861 GEORGE ROBINSON, ΦBK, A.M., D.D.  
Age 21. 2nd Lieut. 123d N. Y. Vols., Sept. 4, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 123d N. Y. Vols., Nov. 11, 1863.  
Mustered out, June 8, 1865.  
Brevet Captain U. S. Vols. for services in Georgia and the Carolinas, March 13, 1865.  
Became Lieut. Colonel and Chaplain U. S. A., March 1, 1877.  
Is now Brevet Brigadier General U. S. A., retired.
- 1861 CHARLES H. SAVAGE.  
Age 23. Corporal 13th N. Y. Vols., April 30, 1861.  
Captain 13th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 24, 1862.  
Killed in action at Manassas, Va., Aug. 30, 1862.

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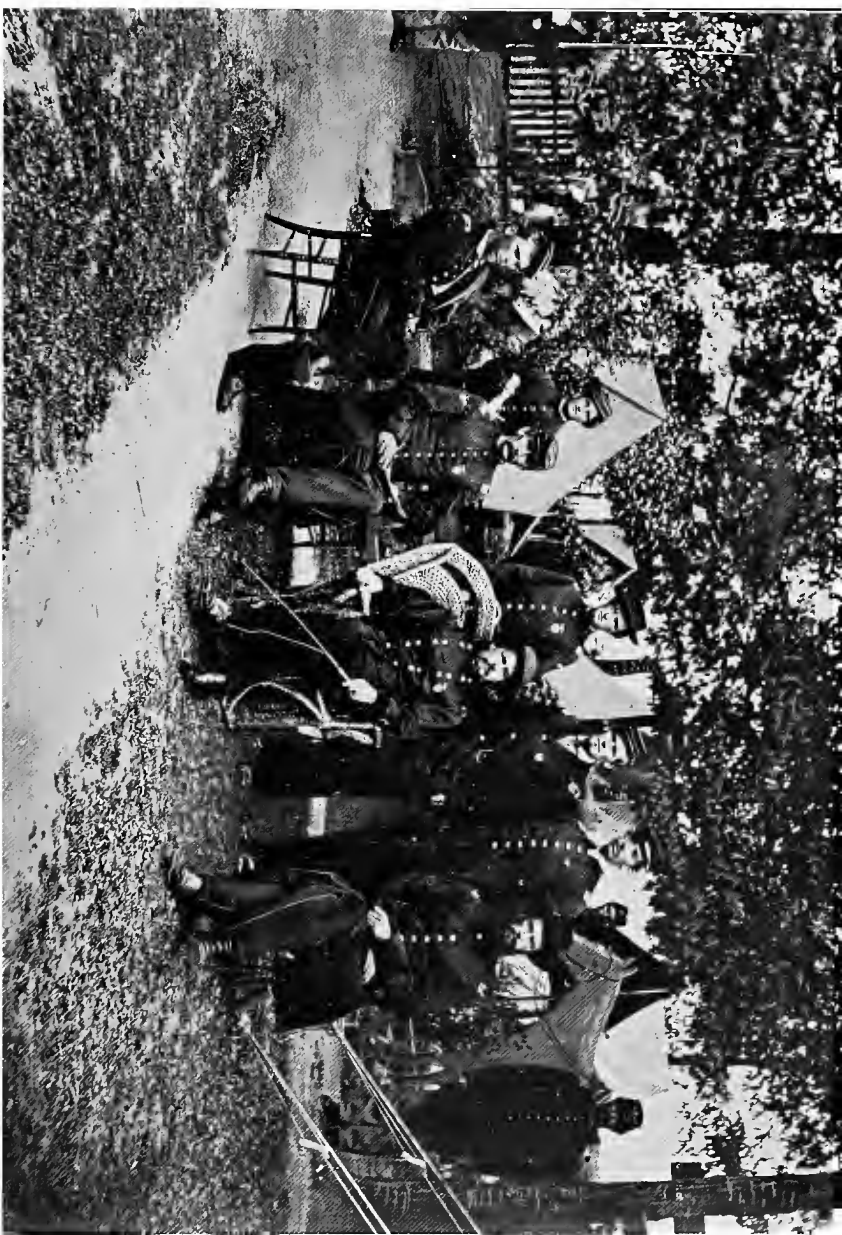
**1861**

- 1861 JOHN SCOTT.  
2nd Lieut. 16th N. Y. Heavy Artillery.  
Died of disease at Fort Fisher, N. C., Feb. 19, 1865.
- 1861 IRA COLE TERRY, ΦBK, A.B.  
Major 5th U. S. Colored Infantry.  
Lieut. Colonel 22d U. S. Colored Infantry, Oct. 25, 1864.  
Brevet Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, Oct. 16, 1865.
- 1861 THOMAS JONES THORP, A.B.  
Age 24. Captain 85th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 1, 1861.  
Promoted to Lieut. Colonel 1st Regiment N. Y. Dragoons  
(130th N. Y. Vols.), Aug. 27, 1862.  
Colonel 1st Regiment N. Y. Dragoons (130th N. Y. Vols.),  
Dec. 24, 1864.  
Brevet Brigadier General Vols. from March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 13, 1865.
- 1861 ALEXANDER WALKER, A.B.  
Major 7th Mich. Cavalry, Oct., 1862.  
Discharged, Nov. 28, 1864.
- 1861 NATHANIEL C. WEEMS, JR.  
Left college to join C. S. A.  
Killed in battle, 1862.
- 1861 TIMOTHY E. WILCOX, ΦBK, A.M.  
Asst. Surgeon 6th N. Y. Heavy Artillery from Jan. 4, 1865,  
to May 11, 1865.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., April 25, 1865.  
Honorably mustered out, June 4, 1866.  
Appointed Asst. Surgeon U. S. Army, May 14, 1867.  
Resigned, July 1, 1868.  
Re-entered the Army as Surgeon in 1874 and is now Brevet  
Brigadier General U. S. A., retired.
- 1861 BENJAMIN A. WILLIS, A.M.  
Age 22. Captain 119th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Major 119th N. Y. Vols., July 1, 1863.  
Colonel 12th N. Y. Vols., March 9, 1864, but did not  
muster.  
Acting A. Adjutant General U. S. Vols., 1864.  
Honorably discharged in 1864.

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- 1862 CHARLES MEROINE BABCOCK, A.B.  
Captain N. Y. Vols.
- 1862 GEO. W. BAKER, A.B., M.D.  
Acting Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols. for nine months in 1864-5.
- 1862 MICHAEL H. BARCKLEY, A.B.  
1st Lieut. 7th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Aug. 15, 1862.  
Wounded, June 5, 1864, at Cold Harbor, Va., and died,  
July 6, 1864.
- 1862 ROBERT WILTON BRINGHURST, A.B., C.E.  
Left college to join C. S. A.  
Lieut. and Major of Engineers C. S. A., 1861-5.  
Returned and graduated in 1867.
- 1862 JAY CADY BROWN.  
Private 22nd N. Y. Vols., May 28, 1862.  
Three months' Regiment.  
Mustered out, Sept. 5, 1862.
- 1862 WM. RIPLEY BROWN, ΦBK, A.B.  
Served in a Kansas Regiment to repel Price's raid.
- 1862 JOHN BUTLER, A.B.  
Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 15, 1862.  
Badly wounded at Gettysburg, July 2, 1863.  
Discharged for disability, Dec. 31, 1863.
- 1862 SEYMOUR D. CARPENTER, A.B., M.D.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept. 10, 1863.
- 1862 CHARLES MOREHOUSE CARTER.  
Age 23. Private 153d N. Y. Vols., Sept. 15, 1862.  
Sergeant 153d N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.  
2nd Lieut. 153d N. Y. Vols., Feb. 9, 1865.  
1st Lieut. 153 N. Y. Vols., Feb. 17, 1865.  
Mustered out, Oct. 2, 1865.
- 1862 SAMUEL WARREN CLARKE, A.B.  
Captain 21st Maine Vols., Oct. 11, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Aug. 25, 1863.  
Captain 2nd Maine Cavalry, Dec. 10, 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept., 1865.



LAST HEADQUARTERS OF RIPLEY'S BRIGADE.

First Brigade, Third Division, Twenty-fourth Army Corps, Army of the James, Richmond, Va., June, 1865.



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1862

- 1862 HENRY N. COPP, A.M.  
Private U. S. Army.
- 1862 ABEL RATHBONE CORBIN, A.B.  
Corporal 114th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 13, 1862.  
Wounded at Port Hudson, La., May 27, 1863.  
Died from wounds, June 3, 1863.
- 1862 JOHN SAVAGE DELAVAN, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon 169th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 18, 1863.  
Asst. Surgeon 1st N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 24, 1864.  
On staff of Harewood Hospital, Washington, for two years.
- 1862 RICHARD ESSELSTYNE.  
Age 20. 1st Sergeant 14th N. Y. Vols., April 30, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 25th N. Y. Vols., April 3, 1862.  
Wounded at Hanover C. H., Va., and captured, May 27, 1862.  
Died of wounds in Richmond, May 31, 1862.
- 1862 ALFRED FOOT.  
Private 7th N. Y. State Militia, April, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 14th U. S. Infantry, May 14, 1861.  
Captain 14th U. S. Infantry, Jan. 18, 1865.  
Brevet Captain U. S. A., Aug. 18, 1864, for gallant services  
at Weldon R.R., Va.  
Brevet Major U. S. A., Nov. 8, 1865.
- 1862 DAVID GEBHART, ΦBK, A.B.  
Major Pa. Vols.  
Killed in battle of the Wilderness, May 5, 1864.
- 1862 EDWIN OLNEY GIBSON.  
Age 22. 2nd Lieut. 114th N. Y. Vols., July 18, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 114th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 1, 1863.  
Wounded in action at Sabine Cross Roads, La., April 8,  
1864.  
Captured at Red River, La., May 5, 1864.  
Paroled, June 26, 1864.  
Mustered out, June 8, 1865.  
Entered the Regular Army as 2nd Lieut. 17th Infantry,  
Feb. 23, 1866.  
Retired as Major, Feb. 15, 1885.

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**1862**

- 1862 HENRY BLAIN GRAHAM.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct., 1862.  
Died at Morris Island, S. C., May, 1864.
- 1862 FRANK HOLT GRANT.  
Private 7th N. Y. State Militia, April 17, 1861, to serve  
one month.  
Mustered out, June 3, 1861.
- 1862 CORNELIUS ABRAM GROOT, A.M., M.D.  
Age 27. Asst. Surgeon 15th N. Y. Engineers, Jan. 8,  
1865.  
Mustered out, July 2, 1865.
- 1862 JOHN FRANK HAZLETON.  
Captain 23d Wisconsin Vols., Aug. 16, 1862.  
Captain A. Q. M. Vols., Feb. 27, 1863.  
On staff of Gen. J. Warren Keifer, and on Gen. Getty's  
Staff, commanding 2d Div. 6th Army Corps from May 26  
to Aug. 1, 1865.  
Brevet Major Vols., March 13, 1865, for gallant and  
meritorious services at Sailors' Creek, Va.  
Mustered out, Nov. 11, 1865.
- 1862 CHESTER P. HODGE, A.M.  
Private Pa. Vols., 1862-3.
- 1862 PETER SMITH HOLLAWAY.  
Private Kentucky Vols. in 1862.
- 1862 SAMUEL BURNETT HOWE, ΦBK, A.M.  
Lieut. and Asst. Commissary U. S. Vols., 1864-5.
- 1862 JAMES T. JOSLIN.  
Age 26. Private 134th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 10, 1863.  
2nd Lieut. 134th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 4, 1864.  
Captain A. Q. M. U. S. Vols., June 1, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 10, 1865.
- 1862 LEVI ARNOLD LAPHAM, A.B.  
Private Illinois Vols., 1862.

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- 1862 JOSEPH MCCONNELL.  
Private 18th U. S. Infantry, Sept. 16, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 18th U. S. Infantry, Oct. 30, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 18th U. S. Infantry, Aug. 11, 1862.  
Wounded at Murfreesboro, Tenn., Dec. 31, 1862.  
Brevet Captain for gallant services from Dec. 31, 1862.  
Died from his wounds, Jan. 14, 1863.
- 1862 ALEX. B. NELSON.  
Lieut. 24th Alabama Infantry C. S. A., Oct., 1863.
- 1862 HENRY W. NICHOLS.  
Left college to join the Union Army.  
1st Lieut. 7th Mass., Vols., 1861.  
Killed at Spottsylvania C. H., May 12, 1864.
- 1862 JEDUTHAN H. LINDSAY, JR.  
North Carolina Regiment C. S. A., 1861.  
Was killed during the War.
- 1862 NICOLL LUDLOW.  
Left college to enter Naval Academy, Oct., 1859.  
Ensign, Oct., 1863.  
He was attached to Steam Sloop Wachusett in 1863 and  
1864, which captured the Confederate Cruiser Florida, Oct.  
7, 1864, and was then Ensign on the Monitor Dictator,  
1864-5, and on the Monitor Monadnock, 1865-6.  
Master, May 10, 1866.  
Retired as Rear Admiral, Nov. 1, 1899.
- 1862 CHARLES HENRY ODELL, C.E.  
Age 25. 1st Lieut. 119th N. Y. Vols., July 30, 1862.  
Captain 119th N. Y. Vols., March 1, 1863.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for services at Wauhatchie, Tenn.  
Discharged for disability, Sept. 7, 1864.  
Aide to Gen. Hooker in 1863.  
Lieut. Colonel and Aide to Gen. Thomas, 1864.
- 1862 JOHN B. G. O'NEILL.  
Captain C. S. A.



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1862

1362 RIDGLEY CEYLON POWERS, A.M.

Private 125th Ohio Vols., 1862.

2nd Lieut. 125th Ohio Vols., Sept. 20, 1862.

1st Lieut. and Adjutant 125th Ohio Vols., June, 1863.

Captain 125th Ohio Vols., July 7, 1864.

Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols. for services in Atlanta campaign.

Mustered out, June, 1865.

1862 EDWARD HASTINGS RIPLEY, A.M.

Captain 9th Vermont Vols., July 9, 1862.

Major 9th Vermont Vols., March 20, 1863.

Lieut. Colonel 9th Vermont Vols., May 19, 1863.

Colonel 9th Vermont Vols., June 1, 1863.

Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Vols., Aug. 1, 1864.

He commanded the 1st Brigade, 3d Division, 24th Army Corps, which was the first Brigade to enter Richmond on April 3, 1865. He was made Commandant of Richmond and rendered distinguished services, which were approved by its citizens.

Mustered out, June 13, 1865.

1862 WM. HENRY ROSHONG, A.B.

Private 1st Conn. Cavalry, Jan. 1, 1864.

Captured at battle of Stone River, Tenn., June 29, 1864.

Paroled, Feb. 26, 1865, and sent to Wilmington, N. C., for exchange.

Supposed to have died on journey to Annapolis.

1862 EUGENE ALLEN SMALLEY.

Private 19th Ohio Vols., April, 1861.

Mustered out, July, 1861.

2nd Lieut. U. S. Marine Corps, Aug. 29, 1861.

1st Lieut. U. S. Marine Corps, Nov. 27, 1861.

Was on the U. S. S. San Jacinto, Flagship of the East Gulf Squadron, when she was wrecked off the Bahamas, Dec. 31, 1864.

On duty at Philadelphia Navy Yard from March, 1865, until July 26, 1866, when his resignation was accepted.

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**1862**

- 1862 **JAMES STEVENSON SMART.**  
Age 21. 1st Lieut. 16th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, March 1, 1864.  
Captain 16th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, March 29, 1865.  
Mustered out, Aug. 21, 1865.
- 1862 **EDWIN F. SMITH, A.M., C.E.**  
Served in the 26th Pa. Regiment in 1863 to repel invasion, which ended at Gettysburg, and in the 11th Pa. Regiment to repel invasion, which ended at Antietam, both short services.
- 1862 **ROBERT BRUCE SMITH, A.M., M.D.**  
Age 21. Corporal 16th N. Y. Independent Battery, Jan. 6, 1862.  
2nd Lieut. 16th N. Y. Independent Battery, April 16, 1863.  
Mustered out, Jan. 25, 1865.
- 1862 **CHARLES STYER, M.D.**  
Asst. Surgeon 45th Pa. Vols., Aug. 1, 1862.  
Asst. Surgeon 99th Pa. Vols., Jan. 16, 1863.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Army, Oct. 9, 1867.
- 1862 **RODNEY STILES VEDDER.**  
Age 19. Private 18th N. Y. Vols., May 2, 1861.  
Commissary Sergeant 18th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 1, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 18th N. Y. Vols., June 27, 1862.  
Acting Q. M. from Dec. 9, 1862, to May 1, 1863.  
Mustered out with Company, May 28, 1863.
- 1862 **HARRISON E. WEBSTER, ΦBK, ΣΞ, M.D., LL.D.**  
Sergeant 117th N. Y. Vols., July 25, 1862.  
Mustered out, May 10, 1865.  
Returned to college and graduated in 1868.
- 1862 **DAVID GERRY WELLINGTON.**  
1st Lieut. 176th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 20, 1862.  
Captured at Brashear City, La., June 23, 1863.  
Paroled, July 24, 1864.  
Mustered out, Aug. 9, 1864.
- 1862 **JOHN MILTON WILSON, A.M.**  
1st Lieut. 83d Ohio Vols., May 10, 1862, transferred to  
1st Lieut. 48th Ohio Vols., May 20, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, May 9, 1865.

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**1862 — 1863**

- 1862 BENJAMIN F. WRIGHT, ΦBK, A.M.  
Age 22. Private 146th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 3, 1862.  
Sergeant Major 146th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 10, 1862.  
2nd Lieut. 146th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 27, 1862.  
Captain 146th N. Y. Vols., March 1, 1863.  
Captured in action at Wilderness, Va., May 5, 1864.  
Returned to duty, May 6, 1865.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, July 16, 1865.
- 1862 JOHN D. YOUNG, M.D.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. A.
- 1863 CHARLES SEYMOUR AUSTIN, A.B.  
Private 139th Illinois Vols., April, 1864.  
Detailed as Colonel's orderly.  
Mustered out for disability, Oct., 1864.
- 1863 WM. PENN BARD.  
Lieut. Pennsylvania Vols.
- 1863 DANIEL BOSWORTH.  
Private Co. H. 48th N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
Killed in battle of the Wilderness, May 5, 1864.
- 1863 ARNOLD BROWN.  
Private 147th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 2, 1863.  
Killed in battle of the Wilderness, May 5, 1864.
- 1863 ANGUS CAMERON, JR.  
2nd Lieut. 121st N. Y. Vols., 1861.  
1st Lieut. 121st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 31, 1862.  
Died of typhoid fever at Bakersfield, Md., Nov. 9, 1862.
- 1863 WILLIAM CLARENCE CORBETT.  
Private 87th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 14, 1862.  
Commanded his company at Fair Oaks battle.  
Taken prisoner at Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863, and was  
taken to Libby Prison. Exchanged and return to Regiment,  
Oct. 7, 1863.  
Mustered out, Aug. 17, 1864.



The Class of 1863 presented the bronze bust of Col. Peissner to Union College in 1880, and it adorns an alcove in the Library. It is an excellent likeness, the work of Launt Thompson. The inscription on the pedestal is as follows:

In honor of  
ELIAS PEISSNER  
PROFESSOR IN UNION COLLEGE  
Colonel of the 119th New York Volunteers  
Killed at the head of his Regiment  
At Chancellorsville, Va.  
May 2nd, 1863  
Accomplished Scholar  
Beloved Friend  
Heroic Soldier  
Offered  
by the class of  
1863







*Thomas H. Fearey.  
Lieut. U.S. Signal Corps  
H'd Qr's 6<sup>th</sup> Army Corps*

#### THE TOWER SIGNAL STATION NEAR PETERSBURG, VA.

In charge of Thomas H. Fearey, Lieut. U. S. Signal Corps, during the winter of 1864-5 and until the fall of Petersburg on April 2, 1865. It was 140 feet high to main platform and 147 feet to top of telescope house where men are standing. Lieut. Fearey stands to the left at foot of tower.

This was the most important signal station on the Petersburg battle line and was but 2,200 yards from the nearest Confederate battery. Lieut. Fearey had three sergeants and thirteen men under him at this station.

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**1863**

- 1863 THOMAS HEALEY FEAREY, A.M.  
After graduating passed examination and was commissioned 2nd Lieut. U. S. Signal Corps in Aug., 1863. Served in the defenses of Washington until Oct. 10, 1863, when he reported to Gen. Meade, commander of the Army of the Potomac. Was Signal Officer at Gen. Meade's headquarters during the winter of 1863-4. Served on the staffs of Gen. Sykes, commanding the 5th Army Corps, and Gen. H. G. Wright, commanding the 6th Army Corps. Had charge of the Tower Signal Station in front of Petersburg and received the commendation of the Chief Signal Officer and of Major Gen. Wright.  
Mustered out, Sept. 1, 1865.
- 1863 EDWARD FROTHINGHAM.  
Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 27, 1861.  
Hospital Steward U. S. Vols., Oct. 10, 1861.  
Promoted to Hospital Steward U. S. Army, Dec. 11, 1862.  
Studied medicine and became Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., and after the war Asst. Surgeon U. S. Navy.
- 1863 GEORGE CLINTON GIBBS, JR.  
Private 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Aug. 19, 1861.  
1st Sergeant 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 25, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 27, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Feb. 2, 1863.  
Captain 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 22, 1864.  
Captain 1st Regiment N. Y. Mounted Rifles, July 21 to Sept. 6, 1865.  
Captain 4th Regiment N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 6 to Nov. 29, 1865, when Regiment was mustered out.  
Brevet Major, May 18, 1866, for gallant services.
- 1863 JAMES FINCAL GREGORY, A.M.  
Left college at end of Sophomore year and entered West Point, graduating in 1865.  
2nd Lieut. 5th U. S. Artillery, 1865-6.  
1st Lieut. Corps of Engineers, 1866-74.  
Captain Corps of Engineers, 1873-81.  
Aide to Gen. Sheridan, with rank of Lieut. Colonel, 1881-5.  
Lighthouse Engineer, 1886 to July 31, 1871, the date of his death at Cincinnati, O.



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**1863**

- 1863 ISAAC WINTER HEYSINGER, A.M., M.D.  
Private and Corporal 7th R. I. Cavalry for three months ending Oct. 2, 1862.  
1st Sergeant 19th Pa. Cavalry., 1863 to Dec., 1864.  
Captain 45th U. S. Cavalry, Dec., 1864.  
Mustered out, Dec., 1865, at New Orleans.
- 1863 JOHN JORDAN HOLLOWAY.  
Private 1st Kentucky Vols., 1861.  
2d Lieut. 25th Kentucky Vols., Jan. 1, 1862.  
Wounded at Fort Donelson. After recovery, Sept., 1862,  
2d Lieut. Col. Benj. H. Bristow's 8th Kentucky Cavalry chasing Morgan's raiders.  
1st Lieut. 8th Kentucky Cavalry, May 1, 1863.  
Died of typhoid fever at Russelville, Ky., Sept. 27, 1863.  
A Grand Army Post in Kentucky is named after him.
- 1863 WM. STARLING HOLLOWAY.  
Private 25th Kentucky Vols., 1862.  
Lost a leg and used crutches the rest of his life.
- 1863 WILLIAM HUTTON, JR.  
Private 123d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 11, 1862.  
Wounded at Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864.  
Died from his wounds, July 22, 1864.
- 1863 ALVA REYNOLDS JORDAN.  
Private 69th Illinois Vols.  
2d Lieut. 69th Illinois Vols., June 14, 1862.  
Wounded at the battle of Pittsburg Landing.  
Discharged, Sept. 27, 1862, and later died from his wounds.
- 1863 CLARENCE PORTER KIDDER.  
Served in a Pennsylvania emergency regiment.
- 1863 JAMES FOSTER KNOWLES, A.B.  
Private 44th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 9, 1861.  
Discharged for Disability, Dec. 2, 1862.  
Private U. S. Infantry, Sept. 26, 1864.  
Mustered out, Aug. 7, 1865.  
He returned to college and graduated in 1868.

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- 1863 BRADLEY MARTIN, A.B.  
1st Lieut. 93d N. Y. Vols., July, 1864.  
Captain being absent he commanded his company while serving 100 days at the front.  
Mustered out, Nov. 1, 1864.
- 1863 EDWIN MALANEY.  
Left college to enlist.  
Sergeant 81st N. Y. Vols., Oct. 21, 1861.  
Captain 30th U. S. Colored Infantry, April 12, 1864.  
Mustered out, Dec. 10, 1865.
- 1863 HENRY ELIAS MUNGER.  
Age 20. Sergeant 18th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 1, 1861.  
2d Lieut. 18th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 26, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 18th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 10, 1862.  
Mustered out with Company, May 28, 1863.
- 1863 CHARLES EDWARD PEARCE, A.B.  
Captain 16th N. Y. Artillery, 1863.  
Major 16th N. Y. Artillery, 1864.  
On Gen. Terry's staff in Nor. Carolina and after the surrender of Gen. Joe Johnston was detailed as Provost Marshal General Eastern District of North Carolina, having charge of the organization of the Freedman's bureau in that district.  
Mustered out, Aug., 1865.
- 1863 HIRAM EDGAR PHELPS, A.B.  
Served three months in 7th R. I. Cavalry in 1862.  
Private 83d N. Y. Vols., July 7, 1863.  
Transferred to 97th N. Y. Vols., June 7, 1864.  
Wounded before Petersburg, June 24, 1864.  
Mustered out, July 18, 1864.
- 1863 JAMES FRANKLIN POTTS, A.M., M.D.  
Served three months in 7th R. I. Cavalry in 1862.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., 1864, serving in the Hospitals of the Army of the Potomac.

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**1863**

**1863 SMITH PRATT.**

Private 8th N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 18, 1861.  
Captured at Harper's Ferry, Sept. 15, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, Oct. 21, 1862.

**1863 HENRY CLAY RANDOLPH.**

Private 7th R. I. Cavalry, July 8, 1862.  
Mustered out, Oct. 10, 1862.

**1863 ISAAC ELLMARK ROBERTS, ΦBK, A.M., M.D.**

Private 7th R. I. Cavalry, July 8, 1862.  
Mustered out, Oct. 2, 1862.  
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Vols., 1864, serving in Army of Potomac hospitals.

**1863 SOLOMON WRIGHT RUSSELL, A.B.**

Captain 2d N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 19, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, 1862.  
Captain 18th N. Y. Vols., 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, 1863.  
1st Lieut. 49th N. Y. Vols., June, 1863.  
Captain 49th N. Y. Vols., Sept., 1864.  
Major 49th N. Y. Vols., April, 1865.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel Vols. for gallant services, March, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 27, 1865.  
Shot through the body at Rappahannock Sta., Va., Nov. 7, 1863.  
Wounded and horse shot under him at Cedar Creek, Va., Oct. 19, 1864.  
Served continuously for four years, except when in hospital.

**1863 GEORGE FREDERICK SAWYER, A.M.**

3d Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, Sept. 8, 1863.  
Served on the Lancaster of the Pacific Squadron.  
Resigned, 1868.

**1863 HENRY REMSEN SCHWERIN.**

Age 20. 1st Lieut. 119th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 8, 1862.  
Captain 119th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 15, 1863.  
Wounded at Chancellorsville, May 2, 1863.

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Died from wounds, May 6, 1863.

He was cared for by Zeta Psi of C. S. A., who returned his watch, ZΨ pin, sword and personal effects to his family.

1863 HENRY HARRISON SHEPARD.

Private for three years 15th N. Y. Cavalry, enlisted Aug. 17, 1863.

1863 GEORGE MIXTON STEWART, ΦBK, A.M.

2d Lieut. 46th Mass. Vols., Oct. 22, 1862.

Mustered out, July 29, 1863.

Returned to college and graduated in 1864.

Captain Mass. Vols., 1864.

Mustered out, Dec. 20, 1865.

1863 EDWARD PAYSON TAYLOR, A.B.

Captain 2d Arkansas Vols., Dec. 10, 1863.

Captain A. Q. M. Vols., March 8, 1865.

Honorably mustered out, Dec. 8, 1865.

Was Quartermaster of the 7th Army Corps on Gen. Canby's Staff and Post Quartermaster of Mobile, Ala.

1863 DANIEL DARRAGH THURBER.

1st Lieut. and R. Q. M. 5th Mich. Cavalry, Sept., 1862.

Discharged, March 4, 1864.

1863 CHARLES K. WARNER, C.E.

Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, 1863.

Served on the Rhode Island.

Resigned, Sept. 28, 1866.

1863 HOMER STRONG WATERBURY, A.B.

Private 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec., 1863.

Mustered out, Dec., 1865.

Brevet Captain N. Y. Vols. for gallant services.

1863 LEANDER WILLIS.

Age 22. 1st Lieut. 116th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 3, 1862.

Discharged, Oct. 3, 1862.

1st Lieut. 78th U. S. Colored Infantry.

Discharged, Sept. 30, 1864.

Died of disease contracted at Pt. Hudson, La., Nov. 20, 1864.

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1864

- 1864 JAMES ASHBEL ALLIS.  
Age 20. Sergeant 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Aug. 3, 1861.  
1st Sergeant 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 8, 1861.  
2d Lieut. 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 31, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Nov. 1, 1862.  
Detached service commanding Artillery detachment, Jan. 1, 1863, until made Captain 1st N. Y. Mounted Rifles, July 25, 1864, to Sept. 6, 1865.  
Brevet Major for gallant and meritorious services, Aug. 3, 1866.
- 1864 JOHN TUTTLE ANDREWS, A.B.  
Age 23. 2d Lieut. 179th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 18, 1864.  
1st Lieut. 179th N. Y. Vols., March 25, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 22, 1865.  
Brevet Captain, April 14, 1866.
- 1864 WILLIAM THOMAS BOYD.  
Private 5th N. Y. Cavalry, Dec. 19, 1863.  
2d Lieut. 5th N. Y. Cavalry, April 2, 1864.  
Wounded and captured, June 29, 1864, at Stony Creek, Va.  
Escaped from Columbia, S. C., Nov. 4, 1864.  
Mustered out, July 19, 1865.
- 1864 JOHN STONE BRADLEY.  
1st Sergeant 37th Mass. Vols., Sept., 1862.  
2d Lieut. 37th Mass. Vols., 1863.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 37th Mass. Vols., 1864.  
Wounded at the battle of Sailors Creek, Va., April 6, 1865.  
Mustered out, May 15, 1865.  
Brevet Captain for gallant services, April 6, 1865.
- 1864 MILTON S. BRAYTON.  
Private 117th N. Y. Vols., July 30, 1862.  
Sergeant Major 117th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 16, 1862.  
2d Lieut. 117 N. Y. Vols., April 1, 1863.  
Discharged, July 20, 1863.
- 1864 RICHARD JAMES BUSH.  
Private 27th Mass. Vols., 1861.  
2d Lieut. 27th Mass. Vols., 1862.  
Served two years and three months and was honorably discharged, Oct. 28, 1863.

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**1864**

1864 **JAMES DORR CLYDE.**

Age 20. Private 44th N. Y. Vols., 1861.

Discharged, March, 1862.

1st Lieut. 121st N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.

Discharged for disability, Nov. 24, 1862.

Re-entered the service as 1st Lieut. 76th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 11, 1863.

Captain 76th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 29, 1863.

Captured at Wilderness, Va., May 5, 1864, and was in prisons at Lynchburg, Macon, etc.

Paroled, March 1, 1865.

Discharged, March 12, 1865.

1864 **SIDNEY THOMPSON CORNELL.**

Left college third term Sophomore and enlisted as Corporal, Co. C, 115th N. Y. Vols.

Severely wounded and taken prisoner at Olustee, Fla., Feb. 20, 1864.

Probably died from his wounds in hands of the enemy.

1864 **HENRY AUGUSTINE CRARY, M.D.**

Sergeant, Co. G, 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 18, 1862.

Mustered out, Sept. 10, 1863.

1864 **ANSON DARWIN FESSENDEN.**

1st Lieut. 53d Mass. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.

Captain 53d Mass. Vols., May 25, 1863.

Served in Louisiana and at siege of Port Hudson.

Mustered out, Sept. 3, 1863.

1864 **JAMES WATSON FISHER.**

Private 71st N. Y. Vols., April 19, 1861.

Mustered out, July 30, 1861.

1864 **SAMUEL HARVEY GLEASON.**

Purser on a gunboat on the Mississippi River, 1864-5.

1864 **ALBERT HEYWOOD.**

Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct., 1862.

Mustered out, Sept. 1863.

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**1864**

- 1864 JACOB MERRITT HOWARD, JR.  
2d Lieut. 24th Mich. Vols., July 26, 1862.  
Promoted to Captain and Aide de Camp Vols., May 4, 1863.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols., Jan. 27, 1865.  
Major and Asst. Adjutant General Vols., March 29, 1865.  
Brevet Lieut. Colonel Vols. for faithful and meritorious services, Aug. 11, 1865.  
Honorably mustered out, Sept. 19, 1865.
- 1864 ARCHIBALD KELLY.  
Private 153d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 28, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, March 24, 1863.
- 1864 CHARLES FREDERICK LEWIS.  
Age 18. Private 119th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 8, 1862.  
2d Lieut. 119th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 119th N. Y. Vols., Jan. 1, 1863.  
Discharged, Feb. 23, 1863.  
Re-entered Regiment as 1st Lieut., April 19, 1863.  
Wounded, May 2, 1863.  
Captain, Aug. 9, 1863.  
Major, July 21, 1864.  
Discharged for disability, July 30, 1864.
- 1864 JAMES OSTROM LIEBENAU.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct., 1862.  
Died of disease at Port Hudson, Aug. 18, 1863.
- 1864 EDWARD JAMES MAXWELL.  
Age 23. Private 63d N. Y. Vols., Jan. 5, 1864.  
Wounded in action, June 15, 1864, at Petersburg, Va.  
2d Lieut. 63d N. Y. Vols., Nov. 22, 1864.  
1st Lieut. 63d N. Y. Vols., May 18, 1865.  
Mustered out, June 30, 1865.  
Brevet Major U. S. Vols. for services before Lee's surrender.
- 1864 ARCHIBALD McINTYRE.  
Age 19. 2d Lieut. 3d N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 20, 1862.  
Regiment served in North Carolina and Virginia.  
Captain U. S. Colored Cavalry, Dec. 3, 1863.  
Major U. S. Colored Cavalry, Nov. 1, 1865.

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Mustered out, Feb. 4, 1866.

Brevet Lieut. Colonel U. S. Vols., March 13, 1865, for gallant and meritorious services.

**1864 WILLIAM MIDDLEMAST MURRAY, A.B.**

Age 19. Private 144th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 11, 1862.

Sergeant 144th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 7, 1862.

1st Sergeant 144th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 15, 1864.

Sergeant Major 144th N. Y. Vols., April 1, 1865.

2d Lieut. 144th N. Y. Vols., May 11, 1865.

Mustered out, June 25, 1865.

He returned to college and graduated in 1867.

**1864 SAMUEL FREDERICK PRENTISS.**

1st Lieut. 13th Vermont Vols., Dec. 8, 1862.

Taken prisoner by Mosby, but escaped.

Aide on Staff of Brig. Gen. Stoughton, 1862-3.

Mustered out with Regiment, July 21, 1863.

**1864 JAMES HENRY ROBINSON, ΦBK, A.M.**

Sergeant 17th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 3, 1861.

Transferred to 146th N. Y. Vols., May, 1863.

Captured at the Wilderness, May 5, 1864.

Prisoner in Andersonville, Ga., and Florence, S. C., for ten months.

Paroled, Feb. 26, 1865.

Mustered out, March 25, 1865.

Returned to college and graduated in 1868.

**1864 JAMES LAWRENCE SEWARD.**

Served in Ohio Volunteers.

**1864 WALTER MONTIETH STEWART.**

Private 153d N. Y. Vols.

**1864 JOHN VALENTINE TAVENNER.**

Left college in 1861 and joined C. S. A., serving through the War.

**1864 CHARLES HENRY TILLINGHAST.**

Corporal 37th N. Y. Vols., 1863.



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**1864 — 1865**

- 1864** SIDNEY TUTTLE, C.E.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant 15th N. Y. Cavalry, June 20, 1863.  
Resigned, May 22, 1864.
- 1864** FRANCIS TERRY VAUGHAN.  
Private Woodruff's Arkansas Battery, 1861.  
In McCray's Brigade, Price's Division, C. S. A.  
Lost an arm at the battle of Helena, Ark., July 4, 1863.  
Entered Union College in Class of 1864 and graduated  
from Albany Law School in 1865.
- 1864.** MARVIN WAITE.  
Left college to enter Army.  
Private 8th Conn. Vols., 1861, for three months.  
2d Lieut. 8th Conn. Vols., 1861.  
On detached service with the Signal Corps. Was Signal  
Officer on Gen. Burnside's flagship at the battles of Roanoke  
Island and Fort Macon. Presented a beautiful flag by  
Chief Signal Officer for his services at Fort Macon.  
1st Lieut. 8th Conn. Vols., 1862.  
Returned to his Regiment and was killed at Antietam, Sept.  
17, 1862.
- 1865** CHARLES MILLS BALLENTINE.  
Age 18. Private 153d N. Y. Vols., Aug. 29, 1862.  
Corporal 153d N. Y. Vols., Oct. 17, 1862.  
Sergeant Major 153d N. Y. Vols., May 1, 1863.  
Wounded in action at Cedar Creek, Va., Oct. 19, 1864.  
2d Lieut. 153d N. Y. Vols., Jan. 20, 1865.  
Mustered out, Oct. 2, 1865.
- 1865** GEORGE FREDERICK BROWN.  
Private 10th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Quartermaster Sergeant, 10th N. Y. Vols., 1863.  
Mustered out with Regiment, June 26, 1865.
- 1865** ARTHUR E. CHADSEY.  
Left college to enter U. S. Naval Academy.  
Took part in the chase after the Confederate "Tallahassee"  
in 1864.  
Graduated from Naval Academy in 1865.  
Resigned, March, 1866.

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### **1865**

- 1865 HENRY GRAHAM, ΦBK, A.M.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 27, 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept. 10, 1863.
- 1865 WM. BARR LYNN, LL.B.  
Class Bulletin says he served three months in the Civil War.
- 1865 THEODORUS MCLEOD, A.M.  
Private 5th Pa. Vols., 1862.  
Private 38th Pa. Vols., 1863.  
Private 84th N. Y. Vols., July 12, 1864.  
Mustered out, Oct 29, 1864.
- 1865 GEORGE DUFFIELD MEIGS, A.M.  
Served in the 10th Ohio Cavalry in 1862.
- 1865 WILLIAM H. MICKLE, A.M., D.D.  
Age 23. Private 134th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 22, 1862.  
Sergeant 134th N. Y. Vols., Sept. 22, 1862.  
2d Lieut. 134 N. Y. Vols., Feb. 2, 1863.  
1st Lieut. 134 N. Y. Vols., April 1, 1863.  
Asst. Adjutant General and Ordnance Officer of Artillery  
Brigade of 11th Army Corps. Served also as Quarter-  
master and Commissary of the Brigade during winter of  
1863-4. Was in the battles of Lookout Mountain and  
Missionary Ridge and on Sherman's March to the Sea.  
Captain, April 1, 1865.  
Brevet Major for gallant and meritorious services from  
March 13, 1865.  
Mustered out, May 30, 1865.
- 1865 ROBERT PAYNE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Left college to enter the Army.  
Private 15th N. Y. Cavalry, Aug. 24, 1863.  
Q. M. Sergeant 2d N. Y. Provisional Cavalry, June 17,  
1865.  
Mustered out, Aug. 9, 1865.  
Returned to college and graduated in 1867.
- 1865 CHARLES HENRY RIPLEY.  
Private 12th Vermont Vols., Oct., 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept., 1863.

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**1865 — 1866 — 1867**

- 1865 EDWIN RUSSELL.  
Captain and Aide de Camp Staff of Gen. Russell, commanding 1st Division 6th Army Corps.  
Discharged, 1865.
- 1865 VEDDER VAN DYCK.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 20, 1862.  
Discharged, Aug. 26, 1863.
- 1865 CORNELIUS COLE VAN INWEGEN.  
Private 20th N. Y. Independent Battery, Sept. 13, 1862.  
Discharged, Feb. 3, 1863.
- 1865 JAMES B. WAYNE WANDS.  
Served in U. S. Navy.
- 1866 WM. H. BEAL, JR., A.B.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct. 20, 1862.  
Corporal 177th N. Y. Vols., Dec. 10, 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept. 10, 1863.  
Was at the siege and fall of Port Hudson.
- 1866 JAMES HENRY LEA.  
Additional Paymaster Vols., Feb. 23, 1864.  
Resigned, May 11, 1864.
- 1866 HARVEY DOOLITTLE TALCOTT, A.B.  
Age 19. 1st Lieut. and Adjutant 110th N. Y. Vols., July 29, 1862.  
Discharged for disability, May 18, 1863.
- 1866 GIDEON DAVID TOWER, A.B.  
Private 46th Mass. Vols., Aug. 20, 1862.  
Orderly Sergeant 46th Mass. Vols., Oct. 15, 1862.  
Mustered out with Regiment, July 29, 1863.
- 1867 JAMES MADISON ANDREWS, LL.B.  
Age 17. 2nd Lieut. 30th N. Y. Vols., May 7, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 30th N. Y. Vols., March 1, 1862.  
Prisoner of War in Libby Prison, Nov. 16, 1861-April, 1862.  
Wounded at second Bull Run, 1862.  
Mustered out as Captain, June 18, 1863.

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**1867 — 1868**

- 1867 CHARLES BELKNAP.  
Age 19. Private 7th N. Y. Infantry for three months.  
Mustered out, Sept. 5, 1862.  
Midshipman U. S. Navy, July 28, 1864.  
Ensign U. S. Navy, Dec. 18, 1868.
- 1867 SEYMOUR BIRCH.  
Private 177th N. Y. Vols., Oct., 1862.  
Mustered out, Sept., 1863.
- 1867 SIDNEY J. COWEN, A.M.  
Midshipman U. S. Navy, July 20, 1863.  
Served on the U. S. S. Constitution, Marion and Santee.  
Resigned.
- 1867 DAVID FANSLER RANK, A.B.  
Corporal 26th Pa. Militia, 1863.
- 1867 EDWARD D. RONAN, ΦBK, A.M.  
While preparing for college he responded to two urgent calls of President Lincoln, serving as private in the 69th N. Y. Vols. in 1862 and as private in Anderson's Maryland Battery in 1863 and 1864.
- 1867 WARREN GILMAN SANBORN, C.E.  
Private 27th Maine Vols., Sept. 10, 1862.  
Mustered out, July 17, 1863.  
Medal of Honor given him by Congress in 1863.
- 1867 EDWARD CHESTER SMITH.  
Midshipman U. S. Navy, April 15, 1862.  
Resigned, June 24, 1865.
- 1867 ARCHIBALD L. VAN NESS, ΦBK, A.B.  
Color Sergeant 27th N. Y. Vols. at the storming of Fredericksburg, Va., May, 1863. Served two years with the 27th Regiment. Upon expiration of its term became non-commissioned officer in the 100th N. Y. Vols. and served the rest of the War.
- 1868 GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE, Ph. D.  
Private 12th N. Y. Vols., June, 1863.  
Mustered out, July, 1863.

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**1869 — 1870**

- Private 16th N. Y. Cavalry, Nov., 1863.  
Corporal 16th N. Y. Cavalry, Jan., 1864.  
Discharged, Dec., 1864.  
Third Asst. Engineer U. S. Navy, Dec., 1864.  
Honorably discharged, Aug., 1865.
- 1869 WM. PLATT MCLAURY, ΦBK, A.B., M.D.  
Private 144th N. Y. Vols., 1864.  
Honorably discharged, 1865.
- 1869 ALEX. DUNBAR POTTS.  
2d Lieut. 4th Mo. Cavalry, Sept., 1861.  
Resigned, Jan. 28, 1862.  
Served on Gen. Abbott's Staff.
- 1870 CLARENCE W. BACKUS, A.B., D.D.  
1st Lieut. 97th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 23, 1864.  
Mustered out, July 18, 1865.  
Served as Aide on Staffs of Gen. M. D. Hardin and Gen. Wesley Merritt.
- 1870 HENRY EASSON, A.B.  
Acting Master's Mate U. S. Navy, Oct. 14, 1861.  
Acting Ensign U. S. Navy, Oct. 6, 1862.  
Discharged, Dec. 11, 1865.
- 1870 WILLIAM EDWARD MAPES, ΦBK, A.B.  
Age 21. 2d Lieut. 124th N. Y. Vols., Aug. 14, 1862.  
1st Lieut. 124th N. Y. Vols., Feb. 9, 1863.  
Wounded at Spotsylvania C. H., Va., May 12, 1864.  
Captain, 124 N. Y. Vols., May 31, 1864.  
Wounded in action, Strawberry Plains, Va., Aug. 14, 1864.  
Discharged for disability from wounds, Dec. 15, 1864.  
Brevet Major N. Y. Vols.
- 1870 ZUINGLIUS KERNANDER McCORMACK, A.B.  
Private and Orderly Sergeant 99th Indiana Vols.  
1st Lieut. 132d Indiana Vols., May 18, 1864.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Sept. 7, 1864.
- 1870 CYRUS AUGUSTUS PEAKE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Private 1st N. Y. Vols., 1864-5.

## Medals of Honor Awarded By Congress For Valor in Battle

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Medals of Honor have been voted by Congress for conspicuous valor in battle to six Alumni, as follows:

MAJOR GENERAL DANIEL BUTTERFIELD....	Class 1844
CHAPLAIN FRANCIS B. HALL.....	Class 1852
BRIGADIER GENERAL JOHN F. HARTRANFT..	Class 1853
BRIGADIER GENERAL PHILIP SIDNEY POST...	Class 1855
CAPTAIN GEORGE NEWMAN BLISS.....	Class 1860
PRIVATE WARREN GILMAN SANBORN.....	Class 1867

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1844 — 1847 — 1849 — 1851 — 1852 — 1853

- PROFESSOR ELIAS PEISSNER, A.M. *Colonel 119th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Chancellorsville, Va., May 2, 1863.
- 1844 DANIEL MCCARTHY. *2nd Lieut. 88th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Fredericksburg, Va., December 13, 1862.
- 1847 SELAH GRIDLEY PERKINS, ΦBK, A.B., M.D.  
*Captain 1st Vermont Vols.*  
Killed at Ashby's Gap, Va., September 22, 1862.
- 1847 PETER E. SICKLER, M.D. *Surgeon 8th N. Y. Cavalry.*  
Died in Army Hospital, April 14, 1865.
- 1849 SAMUEL ALLEN RICE, A.B. *Brigadier General U. S. Vols.*  
Died July 6, 1864, of wounds received in the battle  
of Jenkin's Ferry, Arkansas, April 3, 1864.
- 1851 WM. A. JACKSON, A.B. *Colonel 18th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in Hospital, November 10, 1861.
- 1852 GEORGE W. SNYDER. *1st Lieut. Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.,  
and Brevet Major, U. S. A.*  
Died when 28 years old, November 17, 1861, from  
exposure and disease contracted at the siege of  
Charleston, S. C.
- 1853 HARMON J. BLISS, A.B. *Captain 72nd N. Y. Vols.*  
Died June 6, 1863, of wounds received at the battle  
of Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863.
- 1853 ANDRIES BRANT, JR., C.E. *Captain 150th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in hospital December 23, 1863.
- 1853 JOHN MCCONIHIE, A.M. *Colonel 169th N. Y. Vols., and  
Brevet Brigadier General, U. S. Vols.*  
Killed in action at Cold Harbor, Va., June 1, 1864.



ELIAS PEISSNER, A.M.  
Professor of German and Economics.  
Colonel 119th New York Volunteers.  
Killed at Chancellorsville.





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**1854 — 1855 — 1856 — 1857**

- 1854 ROBERT ORTON BROWN, A.B. *Private U. S. Army.*  
Died August 30, 1864, from wounds received in the  
battle of Franklin, Tenn.
- 1854 JOHN JAMES CAMERON, ΦBK, A.M. *Chaplain U. S. Vols.*  
Died at Yorktown, Va., May 14, 1862.
- 1855 CLEAVELAND J. CAMPBELL, A.B. *Colonel 23d U. S. Colored  
Infantry, and Brevet Brigadier General, U. S. Vols.*  
Died June 30, 1865, from wounds received at the  
"Crater" July 30, 1864.
- 1855 GEORGE CROCKETT STRONG. *Major General U. S. Vols.*  
Wounded at Fort Wagner, S. C., July 18, 1863.  
Died from his wounds July 30, 1863.
- 1856 SAMUEL TROWANT KEENE, A.B. *Captain 20th Maine Vols.*  
Killed in battle June 22, 1864. His last words  
were, "It is well, I die for my country."
- 1856 SAMUEL MATHEWS. *Acting Master U. S. Navy.*  
Killed in action March 22, 1862.
- 1856 FREDERICK FULLER WEAD. *Colonel 98th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed in action, Cold Harbor, Va., June 3, 1864.
- 1856 HAROLD MOSBY WHITE, A.B. *Private Iowa Vols.*  
Died from exhaustion after the battle of Pittsburg  
Landing. He had left the hospital to take part in  
the battle.
- 1857 JOHN Q. A. CROUNSE. *Private 11th N. Y. Independent  
Battery.*  
Died at Alexandria, Va., November 13, 1864.
- 1857 WILLIAM KENNETH LOGIE, A.B. *Colonel 141st N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864.
- 1857 SAMUEL SERGEANT NEWBURY, ΦBK, A.B. *Captain 12th U. S.  
Infantry and Brevet Major, U. S. A.*  
Killed at Weldon R. R., Va., August 19, 1864.
- 1857 GILBERT EDWIN PRATT, A.B. *Lieut. Colonel 23d Mich. Vols.*  
Killed April 6, 1863.

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the Civil War*

1857 — 1858 — 1859 — 1860

- 1857 JOHN WILKES WILKESON, A.B. *1st Lieut. 100th N. Y. Vols.  
and Brevet Captain N. Y. Vols. in Memoriam.*  
Killed at Fair Oaks, Va., May 31, 1862.
- 1857 WENDELL DORN WILTSIE. *Captain 20th Michigan Vols.*  
Killed at Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 27, 1863.
- 1858 WILLIAM CAMPBELL CRAFTS. *1st Lieut. 8th N. Y. Cavalry.*  
Died at Weaversville, Va., August 29, 1863.
- 1858 ISRAEL O. FOOTE, A.B. *Sergeant 61st N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in 1864 from wounds received at Fredericks-  
burg, Va., Dec. 13, 1862.
- 1858 WM. AUGUSTUS JACKSON, ΦBK, A.B. *Capt. 124th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed in action before Petersburg, June 18, 1864.
- 1859 JOHN PAWLING BUCKLEY, A.M. *Captain 24th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Bull Run, Va., Aug. 30, 1862.
- 1859 CHARLES SEVERANCE FARNHAM, A.B. *2nd Lieut. 100th  
N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in Hospital at Yorktown, Va., May 12, 1862.
- 1859 JAMES MORSE OLIVER, M.D. *Asst. Surgeon 14th N. Y. Art'y.*  
Died at Fort Richmond, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1863.
- 1859 HUBERT FRANCIS PEEBLES. *Captain 32nd Iowa Vols.*  
Killed in action, April 25, 1864.
- 1859 SIMEON MONTGOMERY THORP, A.B.  
Although not a soldier, on account of his Union  
sentiments, he was killed by Quantrell's Confederate  
guerillas.
- 1860 SAMUEL A. FITCH, ΦBK, A.B. *Private 89th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed before Petersburg, Va., Aug. 13, 1864.
- 1860 JOHANNES LEFEVRE, A.B., C.E. *Captain 156th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died Nov. 9, 1864, from wounds received at Cedar  
Creek, Va., Oct. 19, 1864.

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1860 — 1861 — 1862

- 1860 SPENCER FRANCIS LINCOLN, A.B. *1st Lieut. and Adjutant  
126th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died July 18, 1864, from wounds received before  
Petersburg, Va., June 16, 1864.
- 1860 CHARLES ISRAEL PLEASANTS, A.B. *1st Lieut. 14th U. S.  
Infantry and Brevet Captain, U. S. A.*  
Killed in battle of Wilderness May 5, 1864.
- 1860 LOUIS GEORGE STRONG, A.B. *Captain 5th Wisconsin Vols.*  
Killed at Maryes Heights, Va., May 3, 1863.
- 1860 ALBERT GARDNER WASHBURN, A. B. *Captain 134th N. Y.  
Vols.*  
Died in camp, Falmouth, Va., Jan. 26, 1863.
- 1861 SAMUEL BARSTOW, ΦBK, A.B. *Captain 64th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died of fever at Fort Monroe, Va., April 20, 1862.
- 1861 EDWARD PAYSON BERRY. *Captain 5th New Jersey Vols.*  
Killed at Gettysburg July 3, 1863.
- 1861 CHARLES H. SAVAGE. *Captain 13th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Manassas, Va., Aug. 30, 1862.
- 1861 JOHN SCOTT. *2nd Lieut. 16th N. Y. Heavy Artillery.*  
Died at Fort Fisher, N. C., Feb. 19, 1865.
- 1862 MICHAEL H. BARCKLEY, A.B. *1st Lieut. 7th N. Y. Heavy  
Artillery.*  
Killed at Cold Harbor, Va., June 5, 1864.
- 1862 ABEL RATHBONE CORBIN, A.B. *Corporal 114th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died June 3, 1863, from wounds received at Port  
Hudson, La., May 27, 1863.
- 1862 RICHARD ESSELSTYNE. *2nd Lieut. 25th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in Richmond, Va., May 31, 1862, of wounds  
received May 27, 1862.
- 1862 DAVID GEBHART, ΦBK, A.B. *Major Penn. Vols.*  
Killed in Wilderness battle May 6, 1864.

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**1862 — 1863**

- 1862 HENRY BLAIR GRAHAM. *Private 177th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died at Morris Island, S. C., May, 1864.
- 1862 JOSEPH MCCONNELL. *1st Lieut. 18th U. S. Infantry and  
Brevet Captain, U. S. A.*  
Died Jan. 14, 1863, of wounds received at Mur-  
freesboro, Tenn., Dec. 31, 1862.
- 1862 HENRY W. NICHOLS. *1st Lieut. 7th Mass. Vols.*  
Killed at Spottsylvania C. H., May 12, 1864.
- 1862 WILLIAM HENRY ROSHONG, A.B. *Private 1st Conn. Cavalry.*  
A prisoner of war from June 29, 1864, to Feb. 26,  
1865. He died on his way home.
- 1863 DANIEL BOSWORTH. *Private 48th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed at Fort Wagner, S. C., July 18, 1863.
- 1863 ARNOLD BROWN. *Private 147th N. Y. Vols.*  
Killed in Wilderness battle May 5, 1864.
- 1863 ANGUS CAMERON, JR. *1st Lieut. 121st N. Y. Vols.*  
Died of fever at Bakersfield, Md., Nov. 9, 1862.
- 1863 JOHN JORDAN HOLLOWAY. *1st Lieut. 8th Kentucky Cavalry.*  
Died of fever at Russelville, Ky., Sept. 27, 1863.
- 1863 WILLIAM HUTTON, JR. *Private 123d N. Y. Vols.*  
Died July 22, 1864, of wounds received at Peach  
Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, 1864.
- 1863 ALVA REYNOLDS JORDAN. *2nd Lieut. 69th Illinois Vols.*  
Died from wounds received at Pittsburg Landing.
- 1863 HENRY REMSEN SCHWERIN. *Captain 119th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died May 6, 1863, of wounds received at the  
battle of Chancellorsville, May 2, 1863.
- 1863 LEANDER WILLIS. *1st Lieut. 78th U. S. Colored Infantry.*  
Died Nov. 20, 1864, of disease contracted at Port  
Hudson, La.

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## 1864

- 1864 SIDNEY THOMPSON CORNELL. *Corporal 115th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died in enemy's hands from wounds received at  
Olustee, Florida.
- 1864 JAMES OSTROM LIEBENAU. *Private 177th N. Y. Vols.*  
Died at Port Hudson, La., Aug. 18, 1863.
- 1864 MARVIN WAITE. *1st Lieut. 8th Conn. Vols.*  
Killed at Antietam Sept. 17, 1862.

## CASUALTIES BY CLASSES

### KILLED IN BATTLE OR DIED IN HOSPITAL

Class.	Union.	Confederate.
Professor . . . . .	1	. . . .
Class 1844 . . . . .	1	. . . .
Class 1847 . . . . .	2	. . . .
Class 1849 . . . . .	1	. . . .
Class 1851 . . . . .	1	. . . .
Class 1852 . . . . .	1	. . . .
Class 1853 . . . . .	3	. . . .
Class 1854 . . . . .	2	. . . .
Class 1855 . . . . .	2	. . . .
Class 1856 . . . . .	4	. . . .
Class 1857 . . . . .	6	1
Class 1858 . . . . .	3	. . . .
Class 1859 . . . . .	5	. . . .
Class 1860 . . . . .	6	2
Class 1861 . . . . .	4	2
Class 1862 . . . . .	8	1
Class 1863 . . . . .	8	. . . .
Class 1864 . . . . .	3	. . . .
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	61	6
Confederates killed. . .	6	
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Total killed . . . . .	67	

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The several Classes were represented as follows:

Class.	Union.	Con- fed- erate.	Class.	Union.	Con- fed- erate
Faculty . . . . .	1	..	1848 . . . . .	7	1
1813 . . . . .	2	..	1849 . . . . .	16	..
1821 . . . . .	1	..	1850 . . . . .	14	1
1822 . . . . .	1	..	1851 . . . . .	9	4
1826 . . . . .	1	..	1852 . . . . .	15	4
1827 . . . . .	2	..	1853 . . . . .	18	1
1828 . . . . .	..	1	1854 . . . . .	9	5
1829 . . . . .	3	2	1855 . . . . .	14	1
1830 . . . . .	1	..	1856 . . . . .	22	..
1831 . . . . .	4	..	1857 . . . . .	28	1
1832 . . . . .	3	..	1858 . . . . .	30	3
1834 . . . . .	7	..	1859 . . . . .	22	2
1835 . . . . .	3	..	1860 . . . . .	50	2
1836 . . . . .	7	..	1861 . . . . .	38	4
1837 . . . . .	1	..	1862 . . . . .	43	4
1838 . . . . .	6	1	1863 . . . . .	36	..
1839 . . . . .	3	1	1864 . . . . .	27	2
1840 . . . . .	8	..	1865 . . . . .	14	..
1841 . . . . .	5	..	1866 . . . . .	4	..
1842 . . . . .	6	1	1867 . . . . .	9	..
1843 . . . . .	4	..	1868 . . . . .	1	..
1844 . . . . .	9	2	1869 . . . . .	2	..
1845 . . . . .	5	1	1870 . . . . .	5	..
1847 . . . . .	4	1			
1846 . . . . .	2	1			
			Totals . . . .	522	46

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Alumni of Union College who served in the Civil War were of following full rank at close of their services, viz.:

### *In the Union Army.*

Major Generals . . . . .	4
Brigadier Generals . . . . .	10
Colonels . . . . .	40
Lieut. Colonels . . . . .	22
Majors . . . . .	28
Captains . . . . .	104
1st Lieuts. . . . .	59
2d Lieuts. . . . .	27
Sergeant Majors . . . . .	7
Non-commissioned . . . . .	20
Privates . . . . .	71
Paymasters . . . . .	7
Chaplains . . . . .	43
Surgeons . . . . .	27
Asst. Surgeons . . . . .	30
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Total in the Union Army . . . . .	499

Those who served in the U. S. Navy and Marine Corps were as follows:

Captain . . . . .	1
Commander . . . . .	1
Lieut. Commanders . . . . .	2
Surgeons . . . . .	5
Signal Officer . . . . .	1
Chaplain . . . . .	1
Paymasters . . . . .	2
Acting Master . . . . .	1
Ensigns . . . . .	3
Engineers . . . . .	4
Purser . . . . .	1
Hospital Steward . . . . .	1
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Of Alumni known to have served in the Confederate Army there were:

Brigadier Generals . . . . .	3
Colonels . . . . .	4
Lieut. Colonel . . . . .	1
Majors . . . . .	9
Captains . . . . .	16
1st Lieuts. . . . .	3
Surgeons . . . . .	2
Chaplains . . . . .	2
Rank Unknown . . . . .	5
Sergeant . . . . .	1
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Total in the Confederate Army . . . . .	46

### *The Total in All Services.*

Union Army . . . . .	499
Union Navy and Marine Corps . . . . .	23
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Total in Union Service . . . . .	522
Confederate Service . . . . .	46
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Total in All Services . . . . .	568

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- 1837 SAMUEL WILKESON, ΦBK, A.B.  
Was a famous N. Y. Tribune War Correspondent. His eldest son, Bayard Wilkeson, Lieut. 4th U. S. Artillery, was killed at Gettysburg. He was the uncle of Capt. J. W. Wilkeson '57 and Colonel Samuel H. Wilkeson '59.
- 1852 SILAS B. BROWNELL, ΦBK, A.M., LL.D.  
Private 7th N. Y. N. G., April 19, 1861.  
Served 100 days with his regiment near Washington, D. C.
- 1854 FRANK PHELPS, A.B.  
Was in the Quartermaster's Dept. U. S. A. during most of the war as Aide to Col. Thomas B. Hunt, Qm. U. S. A.
- 1855 JOSEPH L. CLARKE, ΦBK, A.B.  
Enlisted in 1861.  
Died at Yorktown, Va., May 14, 1862.
- 1858 ERASTUS DE WITT BENEDICT.  
Private 7th N. Y. N. G., April 23, 1861.  
Mustered out with his Company, June 3, 1861.  
2nd Lieut. 11th N. Y. Cavalry, March 14, 1862.  
1st Lieut. and Adjutant N. Y. Cavalry, Sept. 22, 1862.  
Captain 11th N. Y. Cavalry, Oct. 30, 1862.  
Major 4th U. S. Cavalry, Dec. 4, 1864.  
In 1865 he was Judge Advocate of the Federal Provost Court in Louisiana.  
Mustered out with his Regiment, March 20, 1866.  
Died, Sept. 19, 1915.
- 1859 SAMUEL HENRY WILKESON.  
Age 24. Enrolled in 21st N. Y. Vols., April, 1861.  
1st Lieut. 21st N. Y. Vols., May 1, 1861.  
Mustered out with Regiment, Jan., 1862.  
Captain 11th N. Y. Cavalry, Feb. 22, 1862.  
Major, June 24, 1862.  
Lieut. Colonel, Dec. 24, 1862.  
Colonel, April 3, 1865.  
Mustered out with Regiment, March 27, 1865.  
Died in Buffalo, January 12, 1915.



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1860 WARNER LEWIS, JR.

Though he was a native of Iowa, his father was from Virginia. Lewis left college before graduation and went south. He was Lieut. in Major General Cleburn's Division, C. S. A., during the war. He died in Tennessee over twenty years ago.

1862 HENRY BLAIN GRAHAM (corrected record).

First Sergeant 127th N. Y. Vols., Oct., 1862.

Died of brain fever at Morris Island, S. C., May 5, 1864.

1870 ARCH. LYBOLT, A.B., M.D.

Private 9th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, Dec. 20, 1863.

Taken prisoner at the Battle of Monocacy, Md., July 9, 1864, and was a physical wreck when released nearly seven months afterwards. Returned to his Regiment, and after Lee's surrender was detailed to the Freedman's bureau to organize negro schools in Virginia.

Mustered out, Oct. 10, 1865.

1875 TRUMAN WEED, ΦBK, A.M.

Private 48th N. Y. Vols., Aug., 1861.

Orderly Sergeant 48th N. Y. Vols.

Served a few weeks over three years.

Mustered out about Oct. 1, 1864.

These additions change the totals as follows:

In the Union Army the increases are of Colonels, to 41; Majors, to 29; Non-commissioned, to 22; Privates, to 73. In the Confederate Army of Lieutenants, to 4. And the grand totals become:

Total in the Union service .....	530
Total in the Confederate service .....	47
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Total in all services .....	577

THOMAS H. FEAREY, '63,

Canandaigua, N. Y.











